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Albert Sarrant, the French Prime Minister, above, has been kept busy in Paris during the last few days with diplomatic conversations with foreign representatives.

POLITICS IN **EUROPE**

Conversations In Paris

AUSTRIA AND RESTORATION OF MONARCHY

Paris, To-day. The meetings held by the representatives of the various Powers during the last few days have ended. There have the talk have been the ques-

Little Entente, while the question of Austria was slightly complicat-

There has been some anxiety on the part of Austria concerning her independence, for which she had mostly relied on Italy for support, but a result of the Paris conversations there may be closer collaboration between Austria and France and the Little Entente-Reuter's Bulletin Service.

BRITISH COLONIAL POSSESSIONS

"Stop Me & Take One" Policy Deprecated

GEORGE LANSBURYS SPEECH CAUSES MISGIVING

London, To-day. Commons on Wednesday on Mr. Ocean Service. George Lansbury's motion in favour of a world economic conference and the reference of many speakers to colonial problems have aroused disquiet in some quarters, which will find expression on both Houses of Parlia-

ment in the next few weeks. Opposition to the implied suggestion in some speeches of consideration of the redistribution of mandated or colonial territories is voiced by two schools of opinion, one of which is concerned at the possibility of danger in any stated its qualitative desiderata misled by someone in the Ministry

DEATH OF WELSH M. P.

in the Lianelly division will be of any treaty reached. It also FRANCO-RUMANIAN TRADE necessitated by the death yester supported the British proposal dry at the age of 67 of Dr. J. H. for 2,000 ton submarines

HOW CANARDS ARISE

FICTION MISTAKEN FOR ACTUAL FACTS

STARTLING REVELATIONS IN PARIS

CHINA MAIL " SPECIAL

Paris, To-day.

Startling revelations about the ways in which international relations are maliciously poisoned and diabolical designs imputed against Germany without the faintest justification, are made by two well-known Paris publications, the political weekly "Vendredi" and the sports paper L'Auto."

OLYMPIC ICE **HOCKEY**

England's Triumph Over Sweden

CANADIANS CONTINUE IN WINNING VEIN

Garmisch-Partenkirchen,

The second series of Ice any enemy. been many contradictory state- Hockey matches, played yesterconversations, but it is under-stood that the main points of took place under more favourable conditions than the pretions of Austria and Bulgaria. vious ones, the snow having Part of the conversations was ceased to fall and the sun breakpersuasion of Bulgaria to join the ing through in the course of the

In the first match the Latvian ed by her desire to restore the team put up a plucky fight against monarchy eventually, which is the Canadians but were nevertheobjected to by the Little Entente less defeated by 11 goals to 0.

(Continued on Page 12)

Ski Results

SCHONILSEN OF SWEDEN'S BEST TIME FOR COURSE

Garmisch-Partenkirchen: first downhill ski-race in here yesterday, and of the 37 and it was then found out that early in 1937.—British Wireless tence commuted to life imprison had been handed to him as tokens Corps, published as Notification entrants 11 covered the course in the Italian General Doubet had Service. less than 6 minutes, the best time written a book, "The War in the being made by Schonilsen, of

man girls, Lisa Resch and Kaothe ed the figure of "General Bensa" Grasegger, with 5 minutes 8.4 and 23 well 25 his "Plan" and the 10.6 seconds, respectively.

The men's race was won by the memorandum to. Norwegian Birger Rund in The debate in the House of minutes 47.4/10 seconds. - Trans-

LONDON NAVAL TALKS

Size Of Battleships Considered

London, To-day.

tleships. At a meeting of the himself had not read General Republic.—Trans-Ocean Service. Bulletin Service. sub-committee each delegation Doubet's book he must have been transference which might be conThe United States requested a of Aviation. But, states the pa(Continued on Page 12) 25,000 ton hattleship with 16-per such occurrences damage the Government inch guns, but was willing to good respect France and the consider 14-inch guns and French Parliament enjoy. agreed not to construct 10,000- Trans-Ocean Service. London, to-day.—A by-election ton cruisers during the currency

the division at the last general except, the battleship, which Romanian trade treaty was sign Services on February 3; Assistant Mistress (Kinder-The conference has not yet con-from Cauton Yesterday). The two election. Dr. Williams had re-will be referred to the heads of ed yesterday afternoon by the Mr. William Brownics Ashe garten), with effect-from January cluded, but a settlement of the vessels met outside Green Island presented Lianelly since 1922 and the delegations for decision French Minister of Commerce M Moore, ORE, LRCRIDES contraversy is believed to be in and the Admiral transferred his was Chairman of the Carmarthea Britain suggested a 25,000 ton Bonnet, and the Rumanian Minister of Rose Disk. Mr. Richard Edwards to be a sight, any which event the resistance of the admiral transferred his

Some time ago, when the French air defence estimates were under debate in the Chamber, the rapporteur, Deputy Bernier, supported his advocacy of a greatly augmented expenture by issuing a report that was 228 pages long, the crucial section containing five pages, where it was alleged that a memorandum of "the Grand German General Staff, commanded by General Renss," declared that Germany needed an air force of such invincibility that this force would be able to neutralise all the land forces

New Decrees Issued In Italy

Rome, To-day. Three further decrees have been issued here regarding business in foreign currencies. The Government will have still closer control of foreign currencies and all currencies held by the people will be bought by the Government. Reuter's Bulletin Service.

Air," where he described an im-Sweden, with 5 minutes 4 seconds. aginary war between Germany He was followed by two Ger- and France, and naturally invent-"Reich Chancellor" he handed the

> BORNIER'S REPORT M. Bernier, however, in the re port submitted to the Chamber which incorporates therein pages 124 to 127 of General Doubet's book, wrote on page 9 and 10 of that book: "In order to show more clearly the German point of view, we consider it expedient to publish herewith extracts from a document of the Grand- German the well-known authority General Staff."

TREATY SCHED



Mr. Walter Bungman, above, President of the Board of Trade. referred in the House of Commons on Thursday, to the possible termination of the trade pact with Argestina, which was receiving the attention of the British Government

NEW REGIME IN INDIA

House Discusses Two Orders

FIRST STEPS TAKEN

London, To-day. The House of Commons yester day discussed two orders, the first of a series to be made under the Government of India Act. The two orders, takens together, mark the final stages in the establishment of the Provinces of Sind and Orissa with constitutions for an interim period.

In the course of his speech moving that the House approve the orders the Under-Secretary for India, Mr. R. A. Butler, said that the Secretary for India, Lord Zetland, was well satisfied with the progress which was being Mr. A. P. Herbert, Indepenmade with the work preliminary dent Member of Parliament for on the part of the Italians living to bringing the new Indian Con-Oxford University, has intro-Had M. Bernier's statement stitution into operation. Provid-duced three bills into Parliabeen based on facts, his demand ing the forthcoming report of Siz ment with reference to marfor an expenditure on the scale Otto Niemeyer showed that there riage, public entertainment and that it was put would doubtless was no financial obstacle the betting. have seemed justified. But cer- Secretary for India hoped to be In the marriage bill he proposes the interval, handed a Fascist re- that in accordance with regulatain military officials, who were able before the summer recess to that the grounds for divorce presentative 15-pounds of gold in tion 8 of the Regulations as to better acquainted with the per-ask Parliament to consider bring-shall be desertion for three years, bars and ornaments as a sacrifice grant, forfeiture, restoration and The sonnel of the German Generality ing Part 3 of the Government of cruelty, habitual drunkenness and to help the country in its struggle other matters concerning the Efthe and know nothing of "General India Act reforming the Provin- that one partner is mentally de against economic sanctions. The ficiency Medal in regard to the Winter Olympic Games was held Reuss," made further enquiries, cial constitutions, into operation ranged or has had a death sen-majority of these golden articles Hong Kong Volunteer Defence

SIR SAMUEL HOARE LEAVES SWITZERLAND

St. Moritz, to-day.—Sir Samuel Hoare, the former British Foreign Minister, who had recently announced his intention to remain here another two or three weeks for the purpose of recuperation, left for England last night.— Trans-Ocean Service.

NEW GOVERNOR OF BANK OF POLAND

Warsaw, to-day,-Adam finance, Under-Secretary in the indirect lighting. L'Auto demands that those res- Polish Ministry of Finance, has Among the passengers ponsible for this pernicious de been appointed Governor of the Lord Clarendon, Governor been averted by the decision 19-9/16, and forward also ad-The Naval Conference has ception of the public should be Bank of Poland by President General of South Africa, and understood to have been practil vanced 1/8 to 1958. joined issue on the size of bat-called to account. If M. Bernier Moscicki, President of the Polish Lady. Clarendon. — Reuter's lantic Conference to make rate was quoted at 2-US\$5.02.

SHORT OF FOOD

37 ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS ARRIVE AT ADDIS ABABA

NIGHT RAIDS ON TRANSPORTS IN NEGELLI AREA

Addis Ababa, To-day.

Rome: The Italian Ambassa-

dor to London, Signor Grandi

when he submitted an exhaus-

of more than 1,000,000 lire, being

SINGER'S GIFT OF GOLD

LITTLE TO REPORT

War Bulletin No. 117, issued yes-

terday, Marshal Badoglio reports

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Milan: A patriotic deed was

Continued heavy rainfall is making operations on a large scale nearly impossible, according to the latest despatches. On the southern front, however, continued guerilla warfare is in progress, being carried out by isolated detachments of Ras Desta's troops, directed, under cover of the night, against Italian food and ammunition transports on the Negelli sector.

Owing to the length of the lines of communication these attacks are apparently meeting with success, it being asserted that the Italian troops at the front are already short of food.

The Italians take advantage of every dry interval to carry out aerial bombing attacks, dropping large quantities of bombs, but achieving apparently slight damage.

Some 37 anti-aircraft guns of Swiss manufacture have just arrived in the Abyssinian capital. These modern weapons have a calibre of 3.7 c.m. and it is hoped that they will have the effect of reducing the Italian superiority regarding mechanised arma-

MARRIAGE

Mr. A. P. Herbert's Proposals

London, To-day-

the contribution towards the fight against economic sanctions in Great Britain. performed by the well-known Italian singer Toti Chipa, who,

NEW CASTLE LINER

Maiden Voyage To South Africa

London, To-day-

The newest liner on the South African run, the Sterling Castle, sailed on her maiden voyage from Portsmouth yesterday. All the woodwork on the ship is manufactured from Koc. African wood and she is the first on liner to be fitted entirely with

The following appointments, etc., cal and Sanitary Services on ed 2 "cabin ship," whereby lower re-notified in the Government February 8:

In the Government February 8: are notified in the Government February 3;

Professor Robert Robertson, "first-class ships," the Cunard-Mr. Arthur Robertes Welling M.A., to be an additional member White Star tendered its resigna. The Japanese cruiser Idzumo



The question of the return of the Archdake Otto-of Expaberz above, to the throne of Austria is again the concern of the Chancelleries of Europe, following his recent visit to Paris.

MORE RIOTS IN SYRIA

Seven Deaths At Hama

RICH QUARTERS LOOTED

Beirut, To-day. A recrudescence of the Nationalist trouble in Syria has resulted in seven deaths at Hama. About 35 members of the Government forces were inwas received in andence by inred when they were called to Signor Mussolini yesterday, cope with a crowd of students tive report on the political situa- diary speeches, stoned the pubtion and his own activities in he buildings and started looting the rich quarters. The bazaars Signor Grandi then handed the in all the chief towns are clos-Duce a gift of gold to the value ed.—Reuter.

EFFICIENCY MEDALS

Awards Published In "Gazette"

in the famous Milan Scala during The Government Gozette states ment.—Reuter's Bulletin Service of respect during his operatic No. 579 in the Gazette of August 2, 1935, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise Rome: According to the latest the following awards:

report, contained in the official EFFICIENCY MEDAL AND CLASP R. S. Major William Harold Edmonds. M.B.E., C. Q. M. Sergeant that there is nothing notable to Tom Bolt, and Piper Percival report from either front - Douglas Wilson.

(Continued on Page 12) LOCAL DOLLAR

STEADY

Silver Prices Rise

The local dollar is steady, opening on demand this morning The threatened rate war in at 1/83/2d.

Atlantic shipping has probably "Spot" silver advanced to

slight increases in the passen- as compared with 2 US\$5.01%. ger rates on all Atlantic lines while the New York on London Following the objections by the cross-rate was quoted at 5-USother lines to the Cunard-White \$5.021/s, as compared with 5-Star liner Queen Mary being rat US \$5.01%

ton, CMG, MRCS. (Eng.), of the Council of the University tion from the conference. returned from exercises at Bian LRCP. (Lond.), DPH&DTM of Hong Kong for a period of one. The conference met to consider Bay yesterday, and the Japanese Williams, who was returned un- in effect all the four Powers and Cantabase of Malical and Sanitary of

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(c) by post It is essential under (c) and preferable under (a) and (b) that applications should be accompanied by crossed cheque payable to Hong Kong Government. The new licence will then be sent by post or messenger as soon as it is ready. Where actual cash is tendered a new licence should be recieved in exchange before leaving the Licensing Office.

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Conte Verde (viz Siberiz) .. , 13 Yasukuni Maru (Imperial Service) Closes: Reg. Noon Ord. 12.30 p.m.



The Lindberghs are here seen landing at Liverpool from as. American Importer, Mrs. Lindbergh was in front, her husband carrying Jon, as they faced the tremendous and curious crowd which gathered to greet them, despite their hope of finding anonymity in England.



A quaint tucked "bib" edged with a pleated ruffle is used to trim this attractive black street frock worn by Betty Grable. screen actress. White embroidered daisies trim both the collar and the narrow cuffs. The pillbox hat is styled with a net visor.



While New York police dragged East River for the body of 10months-old Jackie Horowitz they held Gussie Friedmann (top left). ex-asylum inmate, as kidnapper. Mrs Dina Horowitz, mother of Jackie, is shown below, and at the right are Mrs. Ester Maslin and her daughter Doris, 2, who was rescued from the crazed woman by her father.



A new photograph of the convicted Bruno Hauptmann, who

has been given 30 days' respite.



Mark O. Kimberly, warden of the Trenton, N.J., prison, addresses press representatives as he reads the list of those invited to witness the execution of Bruno Hauptmann,



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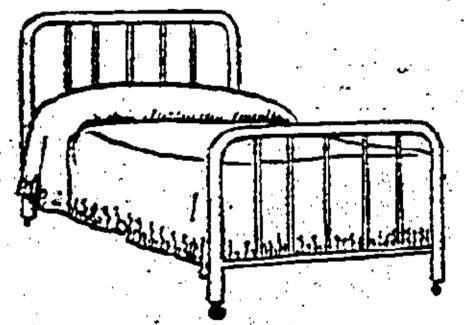


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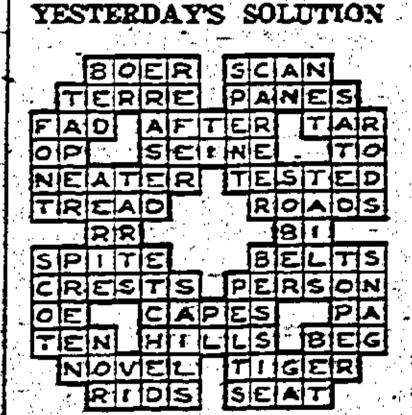
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The REGISTER of SHARE of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 3rd February 1936 to WEDNESDAY, the 12th February, 1936, both days inclusive.

.By Order of the Board of Directors.

> F. H. CRAPNELL, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 27th January, 1936

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEAR-LY MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, the 22nd February 1936, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1935.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 10th February to SATURDAY, the 22nd February 1936 (both days inclusive) during which period not transfer of shares can be registered.

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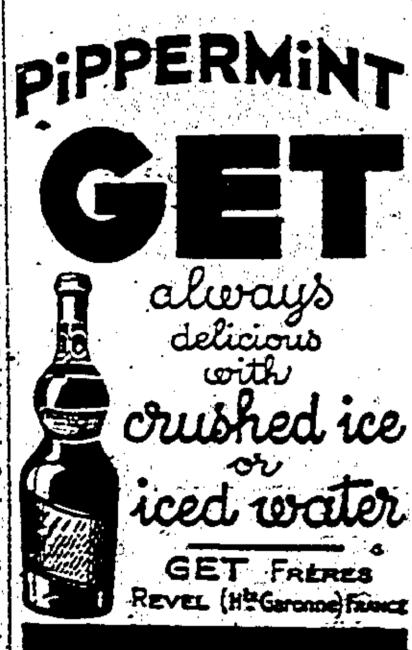
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"THE LITTLEST REBEL" KINGS AND ALHAMBRA THEATRES

Irresistibly decked out in crinosweeter, happier and funnier than ever before. Shirley Temple returns to play her first great dramatic role Littlest Rebel" in this picture.

Adapted from the never-to-beforegotten play, "The Rebel" presents Shirley Temple with the opportunity to act scenes of genuine pathos and drama which the marvellous child sciress carries off in her usual easy man-

The songs Shirler sings include that immortal favourite, Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms" and "Poolly Wolly Woodle," which was especially composed by Sidney Clare and R. G. DeSylva.

A series of tap dances, performed with her old partner, Bill Robinson, are among the highspots of the picture. John Boles, Jack Holt and Karen Morley are prominent in the supporting cast of the picture, directed by David

"HE WAS HER MAN"—QUEENS THEATRE

The picture is said to be a highby dramatic story of a thoroughly unscrupulous underworld character who has a way with women and takes his love where he finds it. The role is enacted by James Cagney, with Joan Blondell playing the part of a woman of the streets, who is about to put herpast behind her and marry a Portuguese fisherman when she becomes infatuated with this rogue with a magnetic personality.

Gagney, the arch villian, is about to double-cross the girl when members of the gang on whom he squealed catch up with him, and he does the one decent death without involving her.

Victory Jory has the role of the fisherman lover, while Frank Craven, Russell Hopton, Harold, Sarah Padden, John Chandler and Qualen, George Samuel E. Hines are all featured in this film.

"I LIVE MY LIFE"-MAJESTIC

This is a notable picture for two reasons at least. In the first place it serves to give Joan Crawford the best acting part she has had for some time, and secondly it enables Brian Aherne. to be reckoned with in the future. archaeologist who is too busy secretary he regards her with new interest—an interest that gradually develops into love.

"CARDINAL RICHELIEU"-STAR THEATRE

This picture marks the sixth of George Arliss' great historial screen characterisations. - With this portrayal the red-robed prelate who stood behind the throne of Louis XIII of France takes his place beside Disraeli Alexander Hamilton, Voltaire Nathan Rothschild and the Duke of Wellington.

In this most recent and most pretentious effort, Arliss has the support of Manreen O'Sullivan, Edward Arnold, Francis Lister, Douglas Dumbrille, Cesar Romero, Violet Cooper, Kathryn Alexander, Lumsden Hare and Halliwell Hobbes.

The screen story was prepared by Cameron Rogers and Mande T. Howell and based on Sir Edw. Bulwer-Lytton's famous play. W P. Lipscomb wrote .. the disloque. Rowland V. Lee handled the megaphone on this Joseph M. Schenck presentation, released through United Artists. "SHE"-ORIENTAL THEATRE THEATRE

man discovers the dame of ments.



"Cardinal Richellen," which is now being shown at A scene from the Star Theatre.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

"Spirit" The Subject

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONG KONG

mon in all churches of Christ, Crown Colonies: Scientist, to-morrow, February 9, will be: "Spirit".

The Golden Text will be: "The Spirit searcheth all things, yes the knowledge the receipt of your tele- H. J. deep things of God." (I Corin-gram, No. 274 of the 5th of Novem- D. A 5 thians 2:10).

Among others the following citations from the Bible will read: "For thus saith the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy: I dwell in the to convey to you an expression of 4 H high and holy place, with him also his appreciation of the terms of Pass that is of a contrite and humble the message. spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones.

"I create the fruit of the lips: Peace, peace to him that is far off. and to him that is near, saith the -Lord: and I will heal him.

"It is the Spirit that quickeneth: the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they act of his life by going to his are spirit, and they are life." (Isa. 57: 15, 19: John 6: 63).

Footsteps Of Truth

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, and Duchess of Glovcester. "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:

"The Bible teaches transformation of the body by the renewal of Spirit. One's aim, a point beyoud faith, should be to find the footsteps of Truth, the way to health and holiness. We should strive to reach the Horeb height where God is revealed: and the corner-stone of all spiritual buildan Englishman, to show that heling is purity. The baptism of is a leading man who will have Spirit washing the body of all the impurities of flesh, signifies that In this film he is cast as an the pure in heart see God and are approaching spiritual Life and its with his job to trouble about love. demonstration. It is "easier for When Joan Crawford arrives, in a camel to go through the eye of a private yacht, at the island a needle," than for sinful beliefs where he is digging he does not to enter the kingdom of heaven, change, as he takes her for one eternal harmony. Through repenof the idle rich, and consequently tance, spiritual baptism, and rea parasite. But when he learns generation, mortals put off their that she is merely the owner's material beliefs and false individuality. It is only a question of time when "they shall all know

> eternal youth and stands, upon the threshold of immortality only over by the Portuguese Consulto turn back. The tale, con- General and among the artists aginstive minds of literary his Gomes, Madame A. Marques and tory, is one of the strangest love Mr. Gas Aquino, P. N. Sequeira's bus, which was badly damaged. stories ever written, one in which Orchestra and the Moonlight a man chooses between a mortal Melodians. woman and an immortal queen Two plays, entitled "Two

story RKO Redio spared nothing in the creation of the fabulous kingdom of Kor. It has no conic i gical history. Its sila, musical : instruments, fight- number of sleepers, who occupied 1104, Turned away-S. inventive genius and are featured inclusive) - res - sv = 3v /759. Turned; aver - // 1752 amazing story in which mortal screen's most ambitious achieve 298; Turned 2003. South and will be brought into use next over 70, were found dead in had Po Yan Street (Central) - Iweek

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been received by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott. C.M.G., C.B.E., from Mr. J. The subject of the Jesson Ser-H. Thomas, Secretary for the

> Downing Street. December 19, 1935.

Sir.—I have the honour to acher conveying a message of con- C. KQJ 1096 gratulation from the community of Hong Kong on the occasion of the wedding of His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester-

His Royal Highness desires me South

Your most obedient. humble servant.

Late King's Gratifude Downing Street.

Sir,-I have the honour to acgratulation from the members of response of five diamonds. Thei Their Royal Highnesses the Duke that was a very dangerous bid.

Royal Highnesses desire me to East's cards. West could have request you to convey to the been defeated 500 points. Louise Browne and John Mills. senders an expression of their appreciation of the terms of the mes- sound for East to raise West's El Abanico March (are Hume).

Your most obedient, humble servant.

PORTUGUESE CONCERT

Two Plays Presented

INTERESTING PROGRAMME ARRANGED

programme has been arranged for have prevented their bidding cor-Me (God), from the least of them the Concert to-night at the Club rectly. Over one diamond South unto the greatest." Denial of the de Recreio by the Liga Portuguesa, would bid four hearts. West claims of matter is a great step There will be no admission could now hid four spades betowards the joys of Spirit, towards charge, but a collection will be cause, having shown his club human freedom and the final made after the concert which will wit, he would not be giving false triumph over the body. (Page go to the "Caixa Escolar," the information as to the spade fund out of which needy Portu- strength. guese children are assisted with their schooling.

The function will be presided ceived by one of the highly im- who will appear are Miss Marie

who offers him endless youth Babies" and "An Idiotic Servant "She," based upon the H. Rider of a Reverend Father," will be Haggard novel of the same name, presented, the following taking des. Lobato Faria and A. Botelho. from Cowes.

BRIDGE NOTES

Hurdling The Pre-**Emptive Bid** By Ely Culbertson

Many methods have been defor reaching games and slams after an opponent made a pre-emptive bid. the co-operative metres (845 E.C. s.) overcall

particularly—are effective. Nevertheless there can be no question but that an opening bid of four seriously hampers Lorm—Local Time and Weather the other side in its bidding. The Report four-bid cuts off two or three valuable rounds of bidding in which information could be exchanged by the partners who hold most of the high cards.

Effective The most effective pre-emptive hid is made on a hand of freak shortage of honour tricks. pre-emptive bid probably can be The following two letters have credited the excellent results obtained by North and South in the deal below:

South, Dealer East-West vulnerable S J 7 6 2 H. K 4 D. 8 6 3 WE

S K Q 9 5 D. K 974 HO 10 9 7 6 5 3 7

The bidding: 5 C Pass Pass

South's bid of four hearts is I have the honour to be sound, though he holds neither An hour with you an Ace nor a King. variably a hand such as South's Sweet Memories will take seven tricks by itself, 8.30-9 p.m. Yocal Variety. (Signed). J. H. THOMAS. so the maximum possible set is Lonely Gondolier ("Broadway 500 points and with any assistance from North; a one or two- Kiss Me Goodnight

West was in a difficult situation knowledge the receipt of your tele- after the four-heart bid. He did gram No. 275 of the 5th of Novem- not wish to bid four notrump beber conveying a message of con- cause he was not prepared for a Through the Doorway of Dreams on the occasion of the wedding of native and, as a matter of fact, Fancy Our Meeting ("That's a Good considering West's vulnerability I Jack Buchanan and Elsie Randolph. His Majesty the King and Their Had North, for example held Whenever I think of you

It would not have been un- 9-9-30 p.m. Band Music. five-club bid to six, largely be- Under the Banner of Victory I have the honour to be, cause he had no support for the The Old Frog Fond Characteristic club suit. The principal reason; (Alford) for the success of pre-emptive Parade of the Elephants-(Signed). J. H. THOMAS. uncertainty in the minds of op-Marche Lorraine. (Game) ponents. Had South not made Sing a Song (Hes). his pre-emptive opening bid, East March of the Mountain Gnomes and West probably would have reached a small slam on the following bidding:

West

Once West had been able open the bidding and East to re-A very varied and interesting spond, no overcall by South could Note:-There will be a relay from

A Salvage Corps tender, going to a fire in Dover-street, W., collided in the Strand with an omni-

LIFEBOAT TOO BIG

and Armalia Marques, Mesara. S. shortened by Zin. before it could Per South China Morning Pinna, J. H. Almeida, F. Fernan-enter the beathouse on arrival Previously acknowledged 2640.08

customs, clothing, domestic uten- The following is a report of the Capacity-158, Potal sleeperssila, musicial instrumenta, fight-humber, of sleepers, who occupied the Road (Kowlook);—
ing implementa, and architecture that shelters, during the seven! Nathan Road (Kowlook);—
AGED COUPLE GASSED have spring entirely from men's hights (January 31 to February 6 Capacity, 100, Total sleepers

For fifty years readers of with an investitute that chal- | St. Leter's . (West. Point) - Fifty softmant beds are being | Mr. 12nd, Mes Secree-Romands. fiction, have been intrigued by an lenges the scenic splendour of the Capetty 129; Total Sleevers—installed in the Kowloon shelter of Forgions-street, Bellant, both

TO DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will These Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of S55

very Relay from December of Rugby Union Football Match

> 130 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins Burby Press News, Mr. 216 p.m.—Close Down. p.m. Chinese Programme 7 p.m.-12.15 a.m.-European Pro-7-7-25 p.m.—"Casse Noisette" Suite (Tachaikovsky)

7.75-2.50 p.m. - Yocal Beams. The Shepherd's Song - ("Helen") conspictions (Offenbech). (Millocker) Heddle Nash (Tenor)

Waltz Song-("Merrie England") - Ci(German) Love will find a way ("The Maid-of the Mountains") (Fraser- Sim-

Helene Esserman (Soprano). Musical Comedy-Selection Garda Hall and George Baker. Three Wishes ("The Good Companions 1

Let me give my happiness to you—
("The Good Companions")
Jessie Matthews (Soprano). 7.50 S. p.m. A Bonquet for Cole played by Arthur Young (Pizno) and the Youngsters.

8 p.m.-Local Time and Weather 8.03-8.30 p.m Light Orchestra The Frolizsome Hare Dance of the Icicies Fairies in the Moon-Intermezo

Entr'-acte (Ewing) Almost in Romantic Waltz Medley

Dick Powell December 19, 1935, trick set may be the maximum. A Little Dash of Dubling Per of Anna Neagle (Soprano). Where the Arches used to be

I ("Big Broadcast of 1935") the consular body of Hong Kong five-club bid was his only alter- Alice Blue Gown Jessica Dragonette (Soprano).

I'm on a See-Saw ("Vill Darling")

(Von Blon)

Characteristic (Chenette) bids lies in creating just such Belphegor Quick March (Berpsant).

(Ellenberg)

9.30-9.45 p.m.-A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter). 10 nm-Big Ben: 9.45-11.45 p.m.-A I day of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance O. hestra-11.45 p.m.-12.15 a.m.- Relay from Daventry. Ireland y England. A running

commentary on the International

Rugby Union football match, relayed from Dublin. 12.15 am -Close Down. from Z.E.K. on a frequency of

640 kilocycles from 8-11 p.m.

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"RED-LETTER DAY" TO-DAY IN ANNALS OF HONG KONG RUGBY

GOVERNOR'S CUP FOR FEDERATION?

MANY LOOPHOLES ASSOCIATION TEAM

CHINESE ONE GAME AHEAD LOSS WILL MEAN REPLAY:

"(By "Rover")

DECAUSE the Chinese Federation have never won the trophy and because to-day's encounter will probably decide whether they do or do not inscribe their name on it, their Governor's Cup Second Round encounter against the Hong Kong Football Association at Caroline Hill will probably draw a tremendous gathering and incidentally provide some thrilling soccer.

Although the Association team is fairly strong, it could have been improved by the inclusion of Rodger in goal, Pile at leftback, and Bliss in the pivotal position. Bliss has not really been given an opportunity of displaying his talent in a representative game for quite a time and it is up to those responsible for selecting-the best possible team to forget "their own little lot" and really settle down to their task.

The Chinese have made an excellent job of their selection, and the mere fact that two Athletic players, Mak Shui-hon and TO-DAY'S TENNIS FINALS Lai Kwok-chiu, have been included in the side speaks volumes for their organisation and foresight.

strength is well distributed,

although most of the danger is

likely to come from the left

wing, where Talbot and Bick-

ford, the Interport combination,

will probably penetrate once or

Lee Doubtful starter

Lee Wai-tong is a very doubtful

Mr. H. F. Scrutton will referee

. HK.F.A: - Rowlands (Fusiliers)

(Navy); B. Gosano (Recreio), Rose

Chinese Federation:-Wong Wing

FORECAST

The following is the forecast for

the week-end fixtures, giving the

favoured team in capital letters:-

TO-DAY

Governor's Cup (Second Round)

SECOND DIVISION

- v CLUB

TO-MORROW

FIRST DIVISION

(R.A.) FEAST LANCE.

____ Athletic

(Caroline Hill, 3.30 p.m.).

* ATFLETIC

(Caroline Hill, 2.45 p.m.).

(Military, H. V. 4.15 p.m.).

(Sockumpoo, 2.45 p.m.).

(Kowloon, 245 p.m.).

(Kowloon 4.15 p.m.).

(Caroline Hill, 4.15, p.m.).

(Causeway Bay, 415 pm.).

(Chatham Road, 4.15.p.m.).

(Canacany Bay, 4.15 pm.).

(Scokumpoo, 245 p.m.).

SECOND DIVISION

FD'ATION V Football Assoc.

FUSILIERS V Radio

(St. Joseph's).

Beltrao (Recreio)

(Navy), D. Leonard

liang (South China).

HINESE

Recreio

play to suit his winger.

NO SENIOR LEAGUE SOCCER CLASHES TO-DAY

But Interesting Card To-morrow

NAVY'S BIG TASK AGAINST EASTERN

The only League games for this Federation's right wing partnerafternoon are in the Second ship. Division and, with the exception of the game between the Royal Welch Fusiliers and the Radio starter for the centre-forward Sports club, the results of the berth, but this is the one game games will have no bearing on where his steadying influence the Championship.

likely to have a big effect on the No less than five First Division Chinese, and his absence will probably spell disaster, probably their games are being played to-morsecond within a fortnight. row, the most interesting of which should be those between the Police and the Athletic, and and the teams are:the return encounter between the Swain (East Lancs.) and Wolverson Rifles and South China "B."

The Police are in a strong posi- (Navy) (Captain); North (Police), tion for the runners-up honours Moss and Brooks will find Fu Kar-ying a great obstacle, while Talbot (Fusiliers) Lai Kwok Chui, in front of him. (Club). is also playing well. Johnson is now displaying brilliant form and much well depend on him.

Rifles Should Win

were somewhat unlucky not win against South China and in their clash to-morrow will probably be the first team to lower the Chinese colours. Pan Kaping is a doubtful starter, Leung In Chan and Lee Kam are both on the injured list, and Lee Shekyau, their left-winger has left for Shanghai

(Continued on Page 5)

ENORMOUS ENTRIES FOR OLYMPIAD

Three Times Number

Of Los Angeles

ENGINEERS v University Entries for the Olympiad are so far in advance of expectations that the organising Committee has a considerably greater number of POLICE competitors to cope with than was ! S. CHINA 'A' y Lysemun (R. A.) originally anticipapted.

At the moment there are \$,800 St. Joseph's Y NAVY entries from 21 countries, with the notifications from 28 additional nations still pending.

A fairly safe estimate raises participants to 5.300, which is Navy roughly three Gines that of the RAST

1932 Los Angeles games.—Trans- LANCE. T South China Ocean Service.



Some of Europe's fairest fancy skaters secured an advantage over their American competitors by working out considerably earlier at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, for the coming Olympic tests there. Left to right are Sonja Henie of Norway, world champion; Liselotte Landbeck of Austria and Maxie Herber of Germany.

ADVERTISING THE BERLIN GAMES

Anstralia Show Us The Way

Gosano is partnered by Rose, of the Navy, but I very much doubt unique advertising camwhether the latter can adapt his paign for the Olympic Games 1936 was carried out in Australis. For instance at the Mel-North and Beltrao are a fine bourne Derby, the legend "Olympair of halves, but Bowers may pic Games Berlin 1936" appeared not be able to cope with Tso Kwaiin huge letters in the sky. shing and Fung King-cheong, the

This impressive advertisement was not carried out by the socalled "sky-writers," but formed by solid letters connected to one another and held together in the sky by means of kites.-Trans-Ocean Service.

MISS HANCOCK BEATS CHAMPION IN STRAIGHT SETS

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and Bickford BUT MRS. WILSON FAVOURED TO WIN TITLE

(South China): Lee Tin-sang. (South (By "REFEREE") (China) and Mak Sui-hon (Athletic); Miss Rosamund Hancock enter-Lai Kwok-chin (Athletic), Leunz ed the Final of the Colony La-Wing-chin (South China) and Let Kwok-wai (South China); Tso Kwaishing (South China), Fung King- dies' Singles Lawn Tennis Cham-In their last meeting the Rifles cheong (South China), Lee Wai-tong pionship for the second time in (South China). Chenk Shek-kam (South China "B") and Chang Kwai-

> yesterday. In the other semi-final Mrs. N.

> > (Continued on Page 5)

TWO BRAWN CUP MATCHES

C.B.A.

Two games in the Brawn Cup competition are down for decision this afternoon, one of them being the postponed first round fixture between the Hong Kong Ladies and the Central British School.

COLONY LADIES' OPEN DOUBLES AT THE U.S.R.C.

Club Championship Also To Be Decided

EXCITING MATCHES EXPECTED

Weather permitting, some very good tennis should be witnessed L Goldman, ho'der, meets Major linan (Army), McElney R. L. Withington in the Final of McGugan (Club) and Cooper the U.S.R.C. Singles champion- (Navy)! ship.

Following this, probably the best sport of the afternoon will be provided when Mrs. J. F. F. (U.S.R.C.) meet Mrs. N. Wilson and Miss R. Hancock (U.S.R.C.) in the Final of the Colony Ladies' Open Doubles Championship.

favourites for the event, Mrs. (Navy), W. E. Peers (Club). Wilson and Miss Hancock are more than likely to extend them. Mrs. Wilson is one of the few (Navy). players who use their heads, and with Miss Hancock maintaining her brilliant form, there is every possibility of an upset.

Holder Should Win

In the Men's Singles Goldman her career when she sensational-should win, although he will be mell (Club), A. D. Coppin (Club), Lt. and, while agreeing with "Unoly beat Mrs. J. F. F. Kayll, the fully extended by Withington, Chapman (Navy). holder, by 7-5, 6-4 after an in- who did remarkably well to elimspired display at the U.S.R.C. inste Capt. J. D. Milne in Semi-Final Round.

extend the holder to three sets.

The Men's Singles will comlowed immediately afterwards by (Navy). the Ladies' Doubles.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Lewis Beats Lee By 52 Points

Three fixtures in the Junior Billiards Championship were This will take place at Happy played off last night, when at the Valley, bully-off at 3 p.m. and, Club Lusitano A. A. Lewis defeatmay be depended upon to put up mern by 800 points to 208 at the 11 o'clock are inconvenient for a positions. School, favourites for the cham- The highest breek, a 41, was needed and Sunday Meets will equal for that berth.

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT

ENGLAND, IRELAND AND SCOTLAND AND WALES

WELL-BALANCED TEAMS

(By "Referee") TO-DAY is a "Red-Letter" day in the annals of Rugby in the Colony, as the first round of the first local International series to be held in Hong Kong, between England and Ireland, and Wales and Scotland and the Dominions, takes place on the Navy ground, Causeway Bay, com-

mencing at 3 and 4.15 p.m., respectively. The teams are fairly well matched, although the Scotland and the Dominions team have a fine threequarter line, backed up by a fine pair of halves in Hutchison and Bonnar, while England's back division is also likely to be very much in the limelight.

The curious part of the four teams is that the packs are very good, so much so, in fact, that each in turn could be taken for a representative Colony eight. England, however, have the best combination with Harrison, Chambers hooking and Mne. Light, as the front row. Puddicombe and Robinson in the second row, and L/Col. Harrison. Winter and Peers in the back row!

Scotland and the Dominions will probably find that their pack, although fairly good, will not be able to withstand the assault of the other combina-

Ireland's Fast Backs

dreland also have a fine back division with Kirkwood, Gallagher, Fraser and Hynes, a very fast quartette, while Archer and Knox should combine well at the base of

The Irish pack is a formidable one, including such Triangular on the United Services Recreation Tournament players as Lincoln Club courts this afternoon, when (Army), Gillespie (Army), Cul-

The Teams

The selected teams are:— England.-L. G. Robertson; Lt Kayll and Mrs. W. E. B. Dowling Withers (Army), P. C. Frost (Club). Sorg: Lient. Benson (Navy), A. B. Rose (Navy): A. B. Loxham (Navy). Lieut Hamilton (Army); Lt. Harrison (Army), G. S. Chambers (Club) Marine Light (Navy), Sig. Puddicombe (Navy), Lt. Robinson (Navy), Although the former pair are L/Cpl Harrison (Army). Lt. Winter Reserves:--G. S. Wilson (Club). L.

J. A. Feilden (Club), A. B. Burrowes (Navy). A. B. Woodman Scotland and Dominions.--Lt. Enman (Navy); H. R. McGilchrist (Club), Lt. St. Clair Ford (Navy).

Stoker Warren (Navy), Sub. Lieut. Wright (Navy); J. Hutchison (Club) J. L. Bonnar (Club); M. S. Cumming China Mail sports page under the (Club), J. S. Dunnett (Club), S. H. Garrod (Club), M. W. Scott (Club), Ldg. Sea. Bell (Navy), E. B. Cam-

the Crr Ewing (Navy). Ireland. — L/Cpl. Wall (Army); other selections. Goldman's overwhelming vic- Surg Lt. Kirkwood (Navy), B. J Spr. Gullinan (Army), J. H. McElney (Club), F. J. McGngan (Club)

Reserves:-B. Hynes (Club), Crick (Club). Wales.—Fus. Procee (Army); I D.G.S. Should Beat COLONY BILLIARDS (Club), Fus. Floyd (Army). Drmr Hamilton was the ideal right-back Arculli (H. K. Telegraph), A. M. Wright (Army), L/Col (Army).

THE FANLING HUNT

plonsing, should best C.B.A. | chalked up by Mul Chan jec. | how be at 3 o'clock (Continued on Page 9) - the Club ground

INTERNATIONAL AERIAL FLIGHT TO BERLIN

To Commemorate The Olympic Games

The Olympic Organisation Committee has instructed the German Aero Club to organise an International flight to Berlin, in connection with the Berlin Olympiad. The meeting of those taking part has been arranged for July 30.—Trans-Ocean Ser-

CORRESPONDENCE

"UNOMEE'S CLUB SIDE UNDER BARRAGE"

Pennell Misplaced As Left Wing

RICHALMANN AND WISHART RECEIVE NO MENTION

[To The Editor, "China Mail"]

Sir,—I noticed with considerable interest the article which appeared in yesterday's issue of the heading "Best H.K. Football Club Team Over Period of 25 Years" mee" that several of his selections Reserves:-F. C. B. Black (Club), would be hard to beat by present day players. I disagree on certain

First of all, though George Wilson, the former Scottish girl tory over Sullivan by 6-2, 6-1 (Navy), D. A. Hynes (Club); C. S. Rodger is undoubtedly a brilliant champion, easily beat Mrs. W. E. came as a surprise as it was an Archer (Club), Lt. Knox (Navy): goalkeeper and the best in the to represent the Hong Kong Press B. Dowling, winning by 6-1, 6-1, ticipated that the latter would Lieut Lincoln (Army), Edmn. Gib-Colony to-day, he cannot compare in a friendly cricket match against bins (Army), Capt. Gillespie (Army), with the performances given by the Royal Navy first eleven on his brother Jack Rogers, when the Sunday, February 16, at King's mence at 330 p.m. and will be fol- R.D. G. Barlow (Club), Lt. Cooper latter played in goal before leav- Park, commencing at 130 p.m.: ing for an outfield position.

The Right Back

(Army); A. F. Walkder and in my opinion, (and I played Omer (S. C. M. Post), J. R. Luke E. P. Humphreys (Club), soccer in the Colony at that time (S. C. M. Post), N. A. E. Mackey Fus. Morgan (Army), A. B. Evans and against the Club) "Jock" (Daily Press), F. M. el Arculli (Navy), Fue Cheney (Army), Gar. McCobbin, who is mertioned in (Chine Mail), -C. Angus (Daily)
Wright (Army), L/Col Bebb; McCobbin, who is mertioned in Press) and S. MacNider (Daily) yesterday's article, was a far bet. Press) and S. MacNider (Daily ter defender and very rarely put Press). a wrong foot forward. The latter is still the finest civilian back I have ever seen in the Colony. I agree that "Dye" Black was and still is the best left-back and that though the Hong Kong Ladies are led R. E. Lee by 300 points to 248. Hunt has advised us that as Jackie Pote-Hunt and Stewart Rueby Tournament in and Amphy Tournament in and A expected to win, the schoolgirls Mui Chan-jeo best F. R. Zim- Meetings on Sunday mornings at secure the right-half and pivotal



By winning points in all speed skating distances up to 880 yards in the Middle-Atlantic championships, Kit Klein, the fleet Buffalo. New York, girl, won her place on the United States Olympic winter sports team. She gives promise of putting up a strong fight for points against her foreign opponents.

FIRE BRIGADE SUSTAIN THEIR FIRST DEFEAT

C.R.C. Triumph By 6 To 3 Margin

KOWLOON TONG CLUB RECORD FIRST WIN

The Fire Brigade Recreation Club sustained their first defeat in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League last night when they lost. to Chinese Recreation Club by 6 sets to 3 at the Central Police.

The Kowloon Tong Club recorded their first win by beating the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 6

sets to 3 at Wanchai St. Andrew's Club were outplayed by St. John's Club, who won by 7 sets to 2 at St. John's

Church Hall. Detailed results of the three

games were as follows:-Saints Lose To St. John's

At St. John's Church Hall last night, the St. John's Club best the St. Andrew's Club by 7 sets to 2:-F. H. Kwok and Miss M. Smith (St. John's)

best E. F. Fincher and Miss M Churn 21—15 beat R. H. Wong and Miss Bliss * 21—18 (Continued on Page 9)

TEAM

PRESS CRICKET

To Play Against Royal Navy

The following have been chosen E. C. Fincher (Daily Press) (Capt.); F. D. Pereira (S. C. M. Post), G. C. Burnett (China Mail),

LOCAL RUGBY SEVENS

The Hong Kong Football Club Charity (i.e. Naval, Military and Civilian Charities) The prelia good game, especially as they Civil Service Cricket Club, while number of people wishing to However, I have another choice minary round will be played on have a very fast combination. Lam Ka-chuen lost to Sydney hunt, he has altered the time of for the left-half position and sin- the evening of Wednesday March In the other game, on the Chan at the Cirb de Recreio by the Sunday meets to 3 o'clock cerely suggest that Manning Rail- 6 and the last eight teams will C.B.A. ground, the Diocesan Girls 257 points to 300. This means that both the Wed-ton at his best had little or no play off on Saturday. March 7. All the matches will be played on

ways the Best Waltz Medley Harry Ruy's Regemuffins Serenade (Drigo) Waltz Alexanders Dark Eyes Tango Accordeous Red Sails In The Sunset Lew Stone Its An Old Southern Custom Carroll Gibbons Page Miss Glory Paul Pendervis Accent On Youth I'd Rather Listen To You Eyes Renard and Orch-I'd Love To Take Orders From You "Shipmates For Ever." Ice House St.

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K.C.C. SHOULD RUNUP BIG TOTAL TO-DAY

CRICKET NEWS FROM NEAR AND FAR

their three-day match -against a ball being bowled. Bengal and Assam at Calcutta. The turf wicket was covered, for 136 on an excellent turf wic-only protected the actual wicket; ket they hit up 70 for 1 before and the run-ups were so swamps stumps were drawn.

Included in the Bengal and As- unable to secure a foothold. sam team were T. C. Longfield. There was a demonstration by the old Cambridge Blue and Kent the crowd when the decision was cricketer, and A. L. Hosie, the made that there would be no play. former Hampshire county player. They were out for 6 and 9 respec-

DOUBLE COLLAPSE

STICKY pitch caused remarkable cricket in second Test match at Calcutta. J. Ryder won the toss and put the Indians in, and the India were out for 48 in under hours, chiefly through some bowling by the 49-year-old C. G. Macartney, who took five for 17, and R. K. Oxenham, who took the last five for 7.

The Australians fared almost as badly. At tea they were 72 for 4. but then collapsed, sensationally six wickets going down for Mohammed Nissar took six for 35

NOURSE'S TEST RECORD

.D. NOURSE, the brilliant ing four overs. South African batsman, set up a new Test cricket record for against Australia in the second Test match at Johannesburg.

The previous best was 204 by Queensland 1910-1911-

defensive innings, Nourse flashed bye. little respect that it was seldom tion.

not give a real chance.

and Queensland at Sydney.

Gilbert made the ball get up were drawn. was unable to do so.

Queensland had been dismissed for 344, and New South Wales went in again 22 runs ahead on NO SENIOR the first innings. After the accidents to Mudge and Robinson, A. Marks set about the bowling and scored 201. He was most severe on Gilbert, whose fast deliveries he hooked to the boundary in vicious

BALASKAS BREAKS SPELL USTRALIA'S opening bats-

A_Brown, who both scored centuries, laid the foundation of what the return of Leonard promised to be a huge score by putting on 233 runs against in the third Test match at New-

The South Africans, however, force a draw. when stumps were drawn.

*** HAMPSHIRE SEC.

HONOURED R. G. H. Muir, the retiring Jecuretary of the Hampshire County Cricket Club, has received from Mr. W. Findley, secretary M.C.C., Mr. R. Aird, assistant secretary of M.C.C., and all the secretaries of the first-class county

.. Mr. Alastair MacLeod, the Shield. Hannshire amateur cricketer, succeeds Mr. Muir

CAPPROWN TEST HELD UP

THE Australian touring cricket South Africa was abandoned at team made a good start in S-30 p.m., owing to rain, without

After dismissing the home side but unfortunately the tarpaulin that the bowlers would have been

BRADMAN AGAIN-TRADMAN scored a brilliant D 229 not out for South Aus-

tralia against Victoria in their Sheffield Shield match at bourne. This is his second doublecentury in consecutive innings; He made 233 against Queensland. Bradman also scored 117 againstí

New South Wales, so that he has reached three figures in all the three Sheffield Shield games that South Australia have played this season. When he had scored 18 in the match against Victoria he reached his 5,000 runs in Sheffield Shield cricket.

After a cautious start Bradman and were all out for 99, the last cut and drove brilliantly and

TWO APPEALS NEEDED missed a ball from White which score at the hole where the pieces not come altogether as a surprise. went past first slip. The battomen lay.

TIDDIE GILBERT'S bumping A South Wales batsman, was next in order of strokes. deliveries and an innings of unable to play for his State 201 by A. Marks featured the third against Queensland in their Shef- BOGEY POOL day's play in the Sheffield Shield field Shield match at Sydney owing match between New South Wales to illness. New South Wales THE January Bogey Pool en- scores.

White figured in a stand of 58.

LEAGUE SOCCER CLASHES TO-DAY

(Continued from Page 4)

Ferguson Killen and Hartigan are good in the military forward who think they are allowed to play line, while Campbell, supported the ball if it does not rest in by Nelson and Coyle, should be A men, J. H. Fingleton and W. enough for the Chinese forwards. the ball goes over the bank edge St. Joseph's strengthened "Darky" Lee, should give a better account of themselves against A NINETEENTH CRITICISM South Africa when play was begun the Navy than in their last meeting, and, in spite of the absence of Sinclair, should win or at least

Best Junior Game

Division to morrow should be between Eastern and the Navy, who are unchanged.

Blake, Tan and Lim have been an engraved silver cigarette box the backbone of the University players display better form the students will probably prove no

Wolverhampton Wanterers In it two packets of gaspers: Test match between Australia and George Ashall inside right.



Kowloon Cricket Chib will look to their skipper, Frank Goodwin, above, to bear brunt of the attack in their League fixture against Craigesrower Cricket Club at King's Park this afternoon.

(By "NIBLICK")

reached his 200 in four hours and WillH a return of 145 nett J. ▼▼ G. Charlton annexed of their captain. Hans Ebeling, his first competition win at the ball and, together with Robbie who tore a rib muscle after bowl- Kowloon Golf Club. Thirty-six Lee, bears the brunt of the holes medal play is a strenuous K.C.C. attack. Somehow or other, form of competitive golf for the Willie Hung has not been bowled long handicap player and TN the Sheffield Shield match again fragments of torn cards his day he can be very dangerous. South Wales round the course bore mute testi- Taking everything into considera-T. Allen, the mony to dashed hopes and a probatsman, bable monument to a double figure the points, though a draw will

While Nicholson played a purely ran and the umpire signalled a Conditions were not of the best 25 2 variable wind had to be conout many magnificent scoring After two appeals by the wic-tended with in addition to a cold Service the Army will be with Miss Hancock's splendid perstrokes, particularly to the offside, ket-keeper Allen was given out drizzle, which persisted over the out the services of their skipper, formance. On the day's play she and treated the Australian attack It appeared that the ball hit the morning round. The weather Capt. L. J. Walch, Lt. C. C. was a worthy winner after leadof Grimmett, O'Reilly, Fleetwood- stumps, causing the bail to jump could be held partly responsible Garthwaite and Lt. J. P. Williams, ing 3-1 and being led 5-4 in Smith, and McCormick with such up and fall back just out of posi- for the poor scores returned, but This leaves them a very much the first set and then running search I ever so diligently, I can- weakened side and it is just pos- away with a 5-1 lead in the seany man was able to bowl a length In reply to 366 by New South not find a convincing reason to sible that the Civil Service may cond. Walez, Queensland batted very account adequately for the fact force a win. Nourse hit 35 4's in an innings doggedly, despite the easy wicket, that a return of 51/2 strokes over. In the second division a good hugged, the baseline, put up a

H. C. Borner 146, A. Andrews junior teams of K.C.C. and Craff in the tenth game she saved TWO GOOD STANDS 147, A. J. Dennis 147, W. Taylor gengower meet at Happy Valley. three match points before losing GILBERT BOWLS BUMPERS A. R. LONERGAN, the New 147, and E. F. Y. Barnes 149 were The home team should win, but at 6-4, and on one occasion re-

were all out for 366, and stumps I joyed an entry of two score Civil Service juniors will meet probably have won; as it was she awkwardly, and both H. Mudge and L. Fallowfield who, playing off a limit handless. while Hong Kong Cricket Club her off the court with a barrage and R. Robinson retired with split gave them a good start, scoring pencilled a 63 net. This win follare fielding an "A" team for of deep cross-court forehand fingers. Robinson returned later 94 and 37 respectively, and later lowing so closely on his success in their friendly against the Navy drives. Only on one occasion to complete his innings, but Mudge A. McGilvray, the captain, and the Eclectic Competition, has The match between the Indians was she beaten at the net, but cap Committee, who have cut the has, I understand, been called off. the whole match! limit down to 16.

THE EIGHTH AND SEVENTH

TOR the third time of asking. will members please note that the stream at these holes is out of bounds. The penalty is stroke with there are still a few players water, but this is not the case; and it is out of bounds

OVERHEARD

A PARTICULARLY sanctu- of the tournament. monious member was over- It must be said, however, that of whom X. Balaskas, the googly In the remaining two game heard last Sunday deploring and the chances of a St. Andrew's bowler, was outstanding after South China "A" should gazner condemning our evil game of liar victory are extremely remote, but at the end of the first set, but striking his length, stuck grimly both points from Lyemun, while dice. He held forth at consider the Hong Kong Ladies defence to their task and turned the game the East Lance, though they may able length and detail illustrating will do well to watch Miss P. Git by capturing 8 wickets for 129 be extended by Stonecutters, his point with fact, ment a cer-tins, the Saints leader, who, runs. Australia were 362 for 8 should win. tain member, who had lost six left alone, will prove to be exbeers in a row. This is sapping tremely dangerous. The best game in the Second at the morals of our younger The probable teams are as folmembers, he bleated. I am glad someone has taken a St. Andrew's: Mrs. Rose: Miss G. strong stand at last. I have seen White and Miss R. Stephenson: Miss

too many people in the throws of E. Benker, Miss J. Wong and Miss dice—sorry, I mean throes of vice Wong, Miss P. Gittins, Miss J. Bookteam so far, but unless the other ... their sleeves rolled up with little er and Miss L Gittins. beads of sweat on their erstwhile H. K. Ladies:-Mrs. J. Limson: milined brows, trying to fill in a Miss E. M. Gray and Miss J. Smal- will sail for America at the end missing straight, at the same ley, Miss K. Glover, Mrs. M. Bell of next month. His manager, Mr. match for the Engineers, who are time looking as though they are Miss M. Smalley, Miss J. Dalziel only rolling for a fifth ace. A Miss H. Hance and Miss C. Ferrulurking fear peers through their son. bright optics intimating the query of whether they will be able to accommodate another beer or make

box. Phocey!

A.T. LEE IMPROVES AS BATSMAN

CIVIL SERVICE MAY SPRING SURPRISE

CRAIGENGOWER JUNIORS. SHOULD BEAT KOWLOON RIVALS

(By LB.W.)

ESPITE the fact that they have only won one of their four games played to date, Craigengower Cricket Club should provide Kowloon Cricket Club with a rather stiff proposition this afternoon when they meet in the senior league at King's Park.

The Kowloon batsmen have displayed very good form in the past few weeks and should be able to rattle up a big score against the Happy Valley bowling which, at its best, can only be classed as mediocre. A lot, however, depends on U. M. Omar of Craigengower, for if he strikes anything like his real form, the K.C.C. bats will have their hands full.

Since he took over the reins of captaincy of the Happy Valley club, Tinker Lee has been bowling very indifferently, though his batting, curiously enough, seems to have improved. I wonder why F. K. Lee is not playing any more cricket? He displayed excellent form against the Hong Kong Cricket Club earlier in the season and if he could only be persuaded to turn out regularly he would strengthen the C.C.C. batting no end.

The Kowloon skipper, Frank the Goodwin, is at last showing somewas weakened by the retirement Fear Cup and incidently recorded thing like his old form with the MISS HANCOCK very much this season, though on tion I think Kowloon will take

Army Weakened

which lasted five hours, and he did and were 330 for eight at the close par should win the trophy. match should be seen when the spirited light in the closing stages to do this they will have to dis-quired only an act to level the miss George Lee and F. E. Law- scores at 5-all! She, however, rence cheaply as both these bats- employed the wrong tactics. Had men are capable of hitting up big she made more use of her unus-

> odd and was credited to E. G. Judd the Medicals, who should win, allowed Miss Hancock to drive earned the attention of the Handi- and Recreio (second division) she only came up eight times in

IMPORTANT CAER CLARK MATCH

Saints To-day

on the fairway side of the stream when they meet St. Andrew all semi-final Kayli beat Miss dies at Sookunpoo in their Carr M. Griffiths in the Final - and Clark Cup match, for if they the year before lost to Mrs. C. P. should lose the match they will F. James in the Final. also lose the trophy which they have held over since the inception

TO TOUR AFRICA

Africa pert autumn.

BEATS CHAMPION IN STRAIGHT SETS

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Poor Conditions

A disconcerting wind blowing across the court made conditons. very For their game against Civil can in no way detract from

> Mrs. Kayll. who unexpectedly ual abilities at the net she would

Weak At Net

Miss Hancock's forehand driving was perfect and she covered up any weakness on the packhand in a most experienced manner. She was, however, very yulnerable at the net, and unless she and distance and must be complied Champions Must Beat can put in some good hard practtice overhead and on the volley before the Final Mrs. Wilson is likely to have an easy passage. Hong Kong Ladies will have to Miss Hancock lost to Mrs. Kayil be on their mettle this afternoon in straight, sets in last year's

> Mrs. Wilson Champion? Mrs. Wilson's powerful and accurate driving down both sidelines left Mrs. Dowling very tired she played pluckily against a

much superior opponent. On present form Mrs. Wilson is isvoured to win the 1936 title the Final will be played next

FARR'S VISIT TO AMERICA

London, January 8.—Tommy Farr, the Welsh cruiser-weight, Ted Broadrish, stated yesterday that arrangements had been made for Farrito box in the British States under the management of Babe Culnan, of New Jersey.

Farr's plans in America will depend upon the result of his A FIER the captains had made cently necured the transfer, for a Dear, dear, dear, dear, dear, are it was decided at a meeting of fight at the Royal Albert. Hall In five inspections of the wicket substantial fee. Iron Frickley passions at a dice zame such as the Veteran Ladies Golf Society London, next week against Tommy the first day's play in the Third Colliery (Midlend League) of were never loosed from Panders's recently to send a team to South Longhran, the former world cruiser-weight champion.

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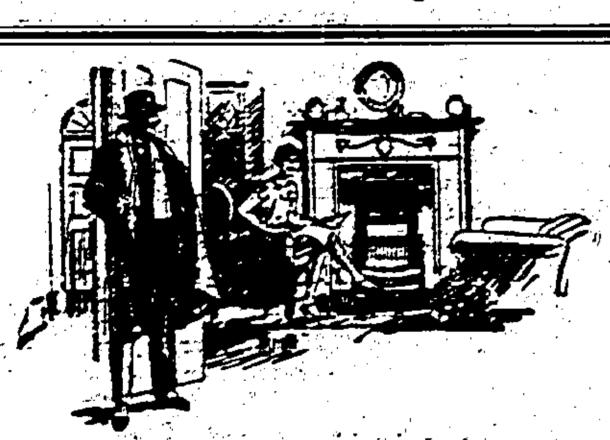
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Policy

Mr. Nicolas Roosevelt, by his It may be inferred that the recent inauguration of President Quezon was far from filling his heart with joy, and that he has EXPLANATION OF been employing some of his leisure time in trying to forecast the future. In any case the points he raised are of great moment and although they are far from new, they are not likely for many generations to become old in the sense of rent problems.

required and appeal is made to advanced age, is hale, hearty dered why the students langhed. the fundamental principle of and active, and fulfilled a lifeequality and individual freedom long ambition that past summer on which the paramount State when she learned to swimauthority required for good adage—"Never too old order is enforced in a half-learn." hearted manner and causes this is not always true. There qualification of the Constitugogic appeals to popular preju-iground be rejected. dices based on the opposite line This method of argument of logic—that authority should seems to give less freedom of maid, "I'll sweep out the dirt." be enforced regardless of action than the principle of In a small hotel in Kingston, Ont., some of the sternest repressions the consciousness that politics there is a yellowing sign tacked to any trader could desire and massacres in history. The is a perpetual succession of the dingy wall behind the desk on No Power Made Sacri Athens of Cleon, the Rome of unforeseen emergencies is at which the proprietor proclaims: "No Cato, Governor Eyre of the bottom of the unwillingness ones." Jamaica, are only a few of statesmen in England even instances that come to mind of to interfere with the Royal the sort that may be quoted prerogative, which in reality without reviving passions that gives to Ministers a reserve have not yet been embalmed opportunity to deal with new and buried in the mausoleum of and urgent crises. The history. The root of all the dilemma is much the same as trouble is that government is arose in dealing with Cubanot a logical application of The right to interfere in an principles but a pragmatic deal-emergency had been reserved

is applied to. The American difficulty in to repeal the Amendment and dealing with dependencies leave the factions to fight it out seems to be much the same as amongst themselves. It is not in dealing with social reform as leasy to see why the sugar imexemplified in the New Deal-ports should have made a proit is the Constitution. It is not blem at all in the case of the merely the provisions of that Philippines. We should have document, which did not of seen no logical obligation to course anticipate that the apply a principle of free impororiginal thirteen Colonies would tation if we did not like it. ever want to govern distant The policy of Mr. Nicolas islands in the Southern Pacific Roosevelt, which he himself Any legal document of that described as the "policy of nature-states certain definite scuttle"-to get out of the rules, which are made as clear Philippines lock, stock, and and therefore as limiting as barrel, the sooner the better, possible; it would be badly without any treaty guaranteedrawn if it did not. But the ing their neutrality, their inpolitical thought of a country dependence or their defencewhich is built up on a written would certainly have a blg constitution takes its whole effect on our own future in character from that fact. The Hong Kong and on the whole first reaction to a new proposal balance of power in the Pacific. is not the question: Is it a But it is easier said than done. good proposal? but can it be Our own experience is that it brought within the limits of the is easier to enter into such scope allowed by the law? obligations than to get out of That is true whether the prothem. The lock, stock and posal be made before the Par-ibarrel retreat from India has liament, or the State Legisla only been suggested by a few ture, or a municipality. If completely irresponsible extrethat doubt is not settled there mists who would be sorry if it is the ever-present fear of a were adopted. Our voluntary ruling that it is ultra vires, retirement from the Transyza which means that all the labour olanted the seeds of endless has been wasted. That has trouble. Even in Afghanistan, always impressed the English the most inhospitable of terriadvocates of support for the tories, occupation and then re-League of Nations. A treaty tirement opened a long chapter made by the U.S.A., becomes a of anxiety. Nothing is more part of the Constitution. The intangible than; prestige, but

thate in the decisions of the are only too langible.

YEAR OF TRIAL FOR LEAGUE

Received Fair Share Of Knocks

SOME ARDBOUS TESTS

(By LESLIE R. ALDOUS) A New Year for the League of vations began on January 10, the miversary of the official foundation of that organisation in 1920 Never has the futility of prophecy

League's sixteenth year.

When 1935 began, the League, although it had not reached goal of peace and co-operation beween nations, was travelling hopefully. It had received more than its fair share of knocks during the past three or four years. Critics had debited it with one many other directions.

between Yugoslavia and Hungary, dignity.

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YESTERDAY'S **CARTOON**

98-Year Old Student

having no connection with cur-student, in the country is Mrs.! Jean Lawrie Hodgson of San

without securing League. It would therefore be chinery." History shows that an infringement, or at least a are famous examples of dema-tion itself, and must on that

ing with men. No principle of by the Platt Amendment, but law is so important as to war- when the chance to make a rant the sacrifice of the men it beneficial use of the power arose the course preferred was

Covenant gives other nations a the loss of it brings results that



LIBEL IN BOOKS

some taken to court, but more often settled out of court. in international affairs been bet- brought on the grounds that authors have introduced recognisable characters into their works.

It is an old grievance. After the MUCH has been said of late ment in 1885 because the scrampublication of "The Egoist," Meredith received some 300 letters complaining that he had pilloried old acquaintances. He replied that it was not them he had pilloried, but himself. Dickens was constantly falling

the custom of those who have League was not a played-out sonal. A later and more combeen in operation for just 50 progress in the vast field thus played the part of a pro-consul League was not a played-out sonal. A later and more combeen in operation for just 50 progress in the vast field thus prayed the part of a processar force. The able manner in which mercialised age has seen monet-years. For the 14 Governments left open to it. and retired into a me of greater it stamped out the sparks of war ary possibilities in outraged which agreed to that Act, after Further north, the coast was freedom and less responsibility.

> any writer makes it possible to forward in Italy to justify ag- a charter. On the west coast identify with fair certainty the gression on Abyssinia, and that the new German, settlement in characters in his books.

Your Daily Smile!

The ex-Kaiser is reported to be

It used to be said that no Francisco, who enrolled in re- The mechanics' lesson was in prohe spouted, "that this machine and when an act of authority is Mrs. Hodgson, despite her operated by a crank." Then he won-

> Unpopular. "Here's a fellow who has just pat-

other move to displace men with ma-

Girton Maid "Will you please sweep out

humanity—which have led to Parliamentary absolutism, and so a returning traveller reports,

EUROPEAN TRADE IN MID-AFRICA INTERNATIONAL

OF 50 YEARS COLONIAL JEALOUSIES

BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT

(By Edward Hawke)

manifesto phrased it. address in New lork, gave to be recovering its morale. The great moral courage, claimed to national enquiry into the sub-kinnon scured for Great Britain evidence of his continued inevidence of his continued in Saar controversy between France be the original of Towneley in ject. It is curious that no men- the whole of what is now Tanterest in this part of the world, Saar controversy between France be the original of Towneley in ject. It is curious that no men- the whole of what is now Tanterest in this part of the world, and Germany gave it a chance to "The Way of All Flesh."

whereby he was only following demonstrate to the world that the These complaints were per lin Congo Act, which has now isation Society had made little a prolonged conference in Ber-still under the nominal rule of The difficulty is that no author lin, clearly foresaw and wisely Zanzibar; three years were to can wholly invent a character. An provided against the very com- pass before the Imperial British intimate knowledge of the life of plaints that have been put East Africa Company received

> will be repeated elsewhere. Equitable Access The Act, which established

Free Trade in tropical Africa. is a unique pre-war example of as it had done for generations. Undoubtedly the oldest active an early riser. Up, in fact, at economic Liberalism by international agreement, and it has making a sacrifice when it worked well. All nations have agreed that the free trade imfor half a century traded with posed on the Congo State democracy could govern an gular high school courses this gress at the university, and the pro- tropical Africa on equal terms. should also extend to the west empire. The two ideas are fall and carries on the same as fessor was demonstrating a piece of Their subjects enjoy the same coast from the Gaboon to Ansupposed to be contradictory, all her youthful classmates apparatus. "You will have noticed." rights as the nationals of the gola and to all the territories several protecting Powers, in that lay between the Congo respect of residence, trade and State and the Indian Ocean-

The roads, railways and coast-kept. bases its own system, the She is a firm believer in the old girls from falling out of rumble al services may be used by all authority required for good and an authority required for good and girls from falling out of rumble all services may be used by all to seats. What do you think of the persons under the same condi- To illustrate still further the "Well, madam," said the educated the Berlin Congo Act provided sible to apply it in August,

able arrangements for access to bloodshed. markets" in Central Africa that No Power Made Sacrifice

Powers to make such an agree-

about the desirability of ble for Africa had scarcely be-"removing the economic causes gun, and there was a general deof war through equitable ar-sire to prevent King Leopold rangements for access to mar-II- from monopolising the vast kets," as the Labour election resources of his infant Congo Free State. Lord Beaconsbig failure in the Far East, which Dickens was constantly falling had hampered its activities in out with his friends because they mous speech at Geneva sought earlier repudiated the concesthought they saw themselves in to moderate Italy's colonial am-sion from the Sultan of Zanzi-But at last the League seemed his books. An elderly vicar, with bitions by suggesting an inter-bar by which Sir William Mac-

the Cameroons and the old French posts in the Gaboon were still insignificant. while Portuguese Angola stagnated,

Thus no signatory Power was travel. Monopolies are forbid-Still the thing was done, and the treaty, once made, was

Neutralising Clause

tions. The tariffs may only be prevision of its authors, one "I don't like it at all. It's just and used to provide revenue for the may mention that the treaty upkeep of the administrations provided for the neutralisation and the development of the re- of any territory within its purgions, and must not be protectivew if the protecting Power the tive or discriminate in favour happened to be involved in war. of any one country. In brief, This clause, if it had been pos-50 years ago the most "equit- 1914, would have averted much

In 1885 there was no League of Nations which could be asked to supervise the working of It was no doubt easier for the the Congo Act. The several (Continued on Page 11)

"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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STRATOSPHERE BALLOONS

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NEW SOVIET TESTS

Leningrad. Five "radio-balloons," capable help of some villagers, got all the of reaching a height of between bags across, and the mails 25 and 30 miles into the stratos- rived at their destination only 12 phere, are being built here, says hours late. the semi-official Tass agency.

They are the first to be constructed according to a new design by Professor Molchanov. During preliminary experiments

at Kiev a balloon of this type reached a height of over 15 miles, which was claimed to be a record for such an ascent. Humidity Tests

Their object is not only to record conditions of temperature and pressure in the stratosphere, as in similar previous attempts but also to take measurements of humidity.

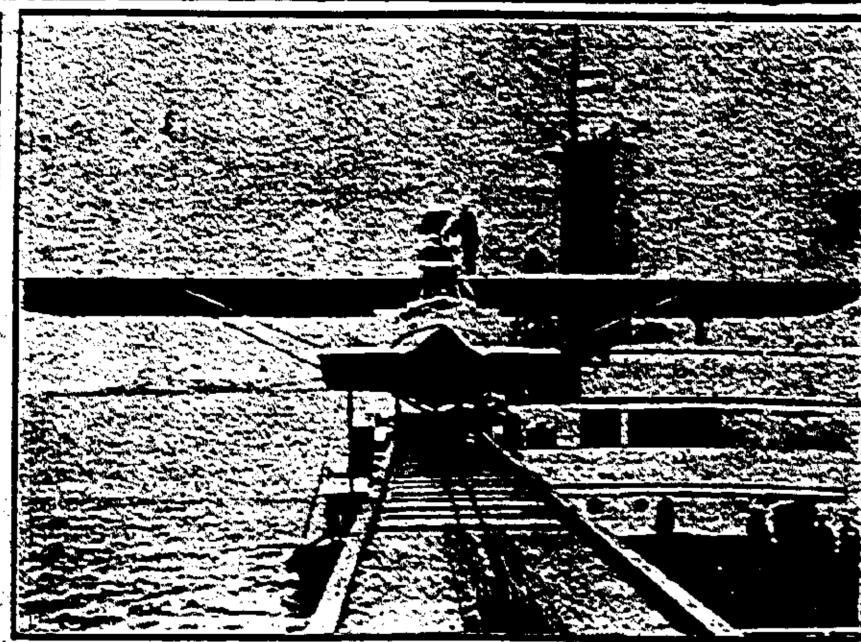
The weight of the new radioballoon, or ardioprobe as it is -called is only about half a pound as compared with the five and a half pounds of the type previous-Iy employed.

U.S. PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Passenger traffic on U.S. domes- . An Italian army aviation six-foot sea and take off even in tic airlines increased 81/2 per cent. school, uses a huge vault to test a dead caim fully loaded in 25 second be reached on this range, The work now taken in hand by in 1934 over the previous year, students reaction to thin air be-conds. while foreign route traffic was up fore taking them on an actual 48 per cent.

AVERAGE LENGTH OF TRIPS

is 387 miles.



The arrangements are now almost complete for the launching of North Atlantic air service next year. Our illustration shows the first floating aerodrome to be stationed in the South Atlantic, the converted German liner Westfalen.

300 M.P.H. BOMBERS EXPERIMENTS NOW GOING ON

BY ITALIAN AIR FORCE

TALY, it is learned, is experimenting with bombing aeroplanes for which a speed of 300 miles an hour is claimed. She has also produced new scout machines with a speed said to exceed 330 miles an hour.

It is claimed that these machines when put into service will be faster than similar machines in any air force in the world. The developments arose out of the work of Italy's "high speed" school at Lake Garda, where the machines which won back for Italy the world's air speed record were developed.

NEW 'PLANE FACTORY FOR HOLLAND

Mr. Fokker As Adviser

Amsterdam: An official committee of enquiry has reported in favour of the erection of a new aircraft factory near Amsterdam. It is proposed that the Government and Mr. Anthony Fokker shall each contribute £135,000 to cover the cost. Mr. Fokker would not be a director but an adviser at a salary of about £2,000 a year and 2½ per cent on the turnover.

ALL TO DELIVER THE MAILS

Airman Swims Three Rivers

An Indian airman swam three swollen rivers to deliver mails when his 'plane was forced down in a storm.

tern India, but landed success-Sikorsky flying boats. fully in a small open space. He then enquired at the nearest vil- who recently visited Bridgeport tralian service. All first-class shortly to be augmented by the lage how he could despatch his (Connecticut) to study the S-42 mail to Australia is to be sen mailbags, but discovered that the boat have returned, and will be by air, with a service of 20-ton only route to the railway across three rivers in flood.

Undaunted, the pilot, with the Hamble.

GLASGOW GIRL'S EXPERIENCE

Flying 3,000 Miles To Marry

liner last month to fly 3,000 miles and a mail load of 1500lb. as well acrodrome at Ahmedabad. to Persia to marry a friend of her as a crew of five. school days.

married Mr. Thomas Yuille, an winds. official of the Anglo-Persian Oil Armchair accommodation for will be extended to Ceylon.

STUDENTS TESTED

UP-TO-DATE PLANES

two years old

Warrant-Officer Agello won the air speed record for Italy in April 1933 with a speed of 423.7 m.p.h. In October 1934 Agello sent the record up to 440.67 m.p.h. Speed Doubled

General Valle, chief of the Air Force, says that the speed of Italian bombing aeroplanes has been doubled, and their range trebled during the past few years. radius of the latest machines

According to General Valle also, for every machine in East Africa there are ten in Italy. This would give the Italians a total complement of about 3,800 warplanes.

BRITISH BUILT SIKORSKYS

Work Begun At Hamble

IMPROVED VERSION OF S-42

The airman, a pilot of the Tata Southampton, on the site ac-aerodromes before next year. Air Mail, had to come down in the quired by British Marine. Air- Heavy expenditure is proposed the difficult Ghat country, in Wes- craft for the construction of on both land and sea air-ports.

was concerned with the construction machines, five times weekly, beof the first boats this year at tween Croydon and India.

the overseas market

version of the S-42. They will be penditure. of 40,000lb. all-up weight with a top speed of 190 m.p.h. with the present 700 h.p. American en-

will reach 200 m.p.h., giving cruising speed of 170 m.p.h. Her Load

With a range of 1200 miles the

miles open ocean crossing of the built at Cuddapah. - On January 14 at Abadan she Atlantic against 40 mp.h. head

> the 32 passengers will be provided in the cabina convertible to sleeping quarters for 14 passen-

The boats can be landed in a

Egypt In 24 Hours

TRANS-ATLANTIC SERVICE

TO CANADA

WORLD'S ALTITUDE RECORD TO BE ATTEMPTED

London. THE year opens full of promise for British aviation. Policies to which the Government committed itself during 1935 will begin to bear fruit this year and among the outstanding events we may expect to witness are the following:

The launch of the "pick-s-back" flying boat and seaplane and the first experimental flight to Canada.

The first experimental flight of an Imperial Airways flying boat from England to New York. The preparation of the new Empire Air Base at Portsmouth,

and its completion by the end of 1936.

In addition there will be the opening of the Bermuda-New York section of the transatlantic air route and the launch of most of the 29 giant flying boats and the 12 great air liners now being built for Imperial Airways Empire routes.

Other expected items are:-The completion of a new machine by Bristol Aeroplane Company to recapture for Britain the world's altitude record during

The completion of three-quarters of the expansion scheme of the Royal Air Force and the completion of all the new aerodromes round our coasts.

The development of new internal air lines in Great Britain by FLYING-BOATS IN British Airways and by Railway Air Services.

The setting up of Air Traffic Control at all municipal airports by the Air Ministry and the openclaimed to be more than 1,000 ing of a national school to train control tower officers in their

(Continued on Page 11)

BIG AIR PLANS IN INDIA

Aerodromes To Be Modernised

HEAVY EXPENDITURE PROPOSED

Work has begun at Hamble, approved to modernise Indian

This is in view of next year! The British technical engineers developments in the London-Aus-

Bombay's suburban aerodrome Five are already on order for at Juby is being retained. It was found impossible to use newly-the Far East next year. The boats are to be an improved reclaimed land without heavy ex-

Special Runways

make the Juby aerodrome service- are to depend far more upon flying able throughout the monsoon, boats than upon land aeroplanes, With British engines top speed which lasts from June to October. but it is only necessary to glance Hangars will be constructed and at a map of the world to see a the zerodrome will be extended. number of opportunities which A new emergency landing-Britain has neglected.

ground will be built in the Sind! The country has made no atboats can carry up to 7900ib. of section of the Karachi-Ahmeda-tempt to win a "footing" in South A young Glasgow woman left pay-load, equal to the weight of bad line. Plans are being made Atlantic air transport, nor to run Croydon in an Imperial Airways 32 passengers with their baggage for the development of a new an air line down the West Coast

She is Miss Muriel Blanche An- 3000 miles can be assured, which derabad-Madras line an emer-jed with China by a branch line to derson, until recently a school would be sufficient for the 2000 gency landing-ground will be Hong Kong from the main Aus-It now seems certain that the

with but two halts for fuel in 24 Imperial Airways is vast and Some 16,000 hours of commer- of they are used on the Austra- rangement with Pan-American

routes have already been carried man Sea could be crossed in North Atlantic is now projected. out by this type of flying boat about eight hours, thus bringing But although so much is being Average length of trips over More than 60 per cent of the Lorded with 32 passengers and New Zealand and London within done it is evident that little or no foreign routes of United States transport planes now in use in cruising at 170 m.p.h. these boats a week of each other by the time attention is being given to scarce commercial seroplines at present the United States are less than could by non-stop from England the new time tables, operate in by less important fields for enterto Gibraltar in about neven hours 1937.

AIR AND SEA LINK

ossibilities Examined In France

Plans for French North Atlantic aeroplane services are developing.

At a private meeting held in Paris under the chairmanship of General Denain, the French Air Minister, directors of the French Line"(owners of Normandie) and of Air France laid their plans before Ministry specialists.

It was afterwards learned that the linking-up of the great maritime firm with its counterpart in the air was discussed.

ENGLAND

Admiralty Interest In Development

CO-OPERATION WITH NAVY London.

Great efforts are now being made to recover the lead Britain possessed in flying boats for many years. The Admiral ty is taking a keen interest in the development of boats towards increased range, accommodation and seaworthiness and the steps being taken towards a regular North Atlantic

The design of ocean-going flying boats is a matter of impor-Bombay: Big plans are being tance, and a situation in which it might be necessary to take over air liners for co-operation with the Navy, on a similar basis to the employment of ocean liners in

time of war, must be considered. British flying boat production is building in Great Britain of an American type. Meanwhile a big fleet of flying boats is being built for Imperial Airways for the accelerated and multiplied services to S. Africa, India, Australia and

Neglected Openings There has been much preoccupation with the establishment of Em-Special runways, however, will pire air services, which in future

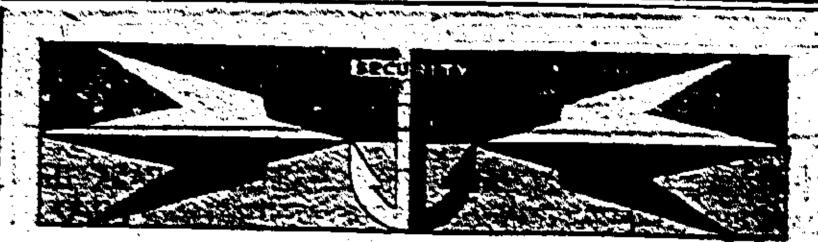
of Africa.

The Karachi aerodrome will Under the impetus of foreign With a reduced load a range of have new buildings. On the Hy-rivalry a link has been establish-

New Zealand is making arrange-Karachi-Bombay-Madras service ments with Pan-American Air-Ways for an air service across the Pacific.

Although Imperial Airways and could reach Malta with one runs from England to the Cape, fuelling halt in little over helf a foreign air service interests have become firmly planted within the

tremendously important. By arcial flying on Pan-American air lia-New Zealand route the Tas- Airways a service across the



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"Stocks:—The market to-day was irregular, which may well continue in view of the fact that no immediate bullish or inflationary announcements are expected. The Supreme Court's decision on the TVA, which is confidently expected on Monday, is impossible to EXPRESS COMPANY, forecast. The decision should stimulate a good rally, led by utility securities, if it is largely unfavourable to the Government; otherwise, it may be a signal for heavy selling. We would suggest a temporary side-line position, except for scale-down purchases of stocks with good present and higher prospective earn- (last close), 6/2% (last received), demand at the latter figure after would be destroyed—at least, ings. Business done:-2,560,000

> shares. "Wheat:-To-day's market was received). 1/16 up (change). without any particular feature. Business was slow and prices registered a small decline. We would still suggest the advisability of purchases, for the sake of been received by Reuter. trading profits, on any marked set-backs. Total sales:—9,577,-

1000 bushels. "Cotton:-There is still no in- March Company in Principal cities of United formation of the proposed May Government selling programme, All classes of Commercial Banking but when the announcement is made it is not expected to depress

"Rubber:-Prices advanced today on a better demand, from The Company offers to intending manufacturers and on a scarcity Travellers the use of its "Iravellers of offerings by holders of stocks Cheques" and Letters of Credit and, of its thoroughly equipped Travelitive element is almost completely absent from the market at present. Total sales:-275 lots.

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London Rubber-April-June (buy-

New York Cotton:-

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	July	10.55	10.55
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_	January	10.23	-10.26
-1	Spot	11-60	11.65
	New York Rubb	er:-	
7	March	15.31	15.432
,	May		15.53
	July		_
	September		15.75
	December		15.93a
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	May		987/2
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_	September	-887 <u>/</u>	-873/4-
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SHAREBROKERS ASSOCIATION

The following report was issued slightly. by the Hong Kong Sharebrokers Association yesterday afternoon. Bank of East Asia \$80 CD b. Underwriters \$1.05 h. \$1.071/2

Antamoks \$1.55 b Baguio Gold 20 cts. b.. Beng Consolidateds \$16% b. Gold Rivers 61/4 ets. b. Land Debentures par b. Providents Old \$1.95 b. \$1.95/2 H. K. Docks \$81/2 b.

Peak Trams Old \$61/4 b. Yaumati Ferries \$201/2 b. Lights Old \$111/4 b. Lights New \$8 b. Electrics \$721/2 b. Telephones Old \$261/4 b. Canton Ices \$1% b. Telephones New \$9.80 b. Cements \$8% b. Nanyangs \$31/2 b.

SHARE MARKET

Messrs. Harriman's Weekly Report

market review issued at noon on to Geneva. to-day states:-

tively quiet but rates have been perhaps higher than at any time national Boarding House. well maintained with a consistent in its history. enquiry in all sections. In the investment section Hong Kong Electrics weakened slightly at ers at the latter rate. and \$103 March after sales at forward buyers at \$13.10 March; in international affairs. 1- Hong Kong Lands were quiet For much more than the with shares offering at \$35.50 dependence of Abyssinia was at Star Ferries were marking time stake when Signor Mussolini deand could be obtained in small termined to take the law into his minor issues showed signs of eas-thinking people everywhere realiness at one time with Hotels re- ised that, if the strong arm Liverpool Wheat—March 6/214 tween \$11 and \$11.30 closing in tween civilised communities of violence.

business done at \$11.40 cash and within the measurable future. ers) 7-3/16 (last close), 7% (last \$11.60 March. Cements after The probable repercussions upon of the dispute, the League memhaving been done at \$8.50, reviv- European politics aroused anxious bers showed clearly that they had ed to a buying rate of \$8.85. Pro- speculations. It is also clear no wish to precipitate a quarrel vident (old) after declining to \$1.85 at one time closed in strong ity of nations in the League was The following quotations have demand at \$1.95. In the sterling genuinely shocked by Signor Mus-parations were being relentlessly section Hong Kong Banks were Prev. Yesterday put through at \$1600/05 while

Closing Closing Unions had sellers at \$565. The tone of the market at the close is steady with a distinct scarcity of offerings. Business during the week has been done at the following prices:

H. K. Banks \$1600.-/1605.--Antamoks-\$1.60.--Wharves (old) \$101-Wharves (new) \$98.-Providents (old) \$1.80/1.90. Lights (old) \$11.-/11.30.

Lights (new) \$8.-/8.10. Cements \$8.50. Telephones (old) \$26.-/26.25. Telephones (new) \$10--H. K. Electrics \$70%/71-China Underwriters \$1.10.

H. K. Trams \$13.-Nanyangs \$3½. Govt. Loans 31/2% 993/4%. Raubs \$11.20. H. K. Wing On \$58/60. Entertainments \$4.70/4.75. Bank of East Asia \$80.-

H. K. Lands \$36.-

H. K. Stock Exchange Weekly issued at 3.15 p.m. yesterday. The market was rather erratic during the week under review, ternately. However, a fair

weakening and strengthening al amount of business was done. chiefly in the Public Utility group, at prices which fluctuated only

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

\$1605. China Underwriters \$1.07. Wharves (Old) \$101. Wharves (New) \$98. \$1.90, \$1.95.

Lands \$36. Humphreys \$10.40. Tramways \$131/2. \$13. Star Ferries \$96. China Lights \$111/2. \$11.30, \$111/4, \$11.10, \$11.15 \$11.05, \$11.20, \$11.30. China Lights (New) \$8, \$8.10.

Cements \$81/2.

YEAR OF TRIAL FOR LEAGUE

(Continued from Page 6)

Messrs. G. A. Harriman and after the assassination of King Co.'s weekly share report and Alexander, brought fresh laurels - 57-59 Nathan Road, is in no way

A year ago, the League's pres-

More Arduous Tests

From subsequent events the beginning of the week but might almost be imagined that the closed much better with strong Fates were not content to allow THE undersigned have been buyers at \$72.75 cash and \$74 the League to emerge successfully Telephones (old) re- from the handling of two major mained firm with business done political problems without subat \$26/26.25 and closed with buy-mitting it to further more ardu-Wharves ous tests. So, out of the trivial (old) had enquiries at \$102 cash Wal Wal frontier incident, material was found for the staging of a life-or-death struggle to deterwas Trams which were offered at mine whether the League or the \$13.00, but found favour with law of the jungle should hold sway

parcels at \$96. Some of the own hands. Statesmen and ceding to a selling rate of \$5.40. Violence succeeded, the hope of China Lights (old) fluctuated be establishing a reign of law be solini's cynical faith in a creed

(Continued in next Column)

Antamoks \$1.60. CHANGES (3.15 p.m.) **CLOSING QUOTATIONS** BUYERS

Providents (Old) \$1.95. Peak Trams (Old) \$7. Peak Trams (New) \$21/2. Telephones (Old) \$26%_ China Lights (Old) \$11.30. China Lights (New) \$8. Electrics \$72%. Canton Ices \$134. Cements \$8.85. Canton Ices \$1%.

Benguet Consolidated \$17%. SELLERS Hong Kong Hotels \$5.45. SALES China Underwriters \$1.071/2.

Providents (Old) \$1.90/1.95. Humphreys \$10.40. China Lights (Old) \$11.20/11.30. Electrics \$73. Antamoks \$1.60.

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appropriated as follows:

Electrics \$73, \$721/2, \$71, \$70%, The annual ordinary general sive League campaign. Arrangemeeting of the Company will be ments were also made for the set-Telephones (Old) \$25%, \$26.10, held at the Hong Kong Hotel at tlement of the Assyrian Christian 11.30 a.m. on Tuesday, February refugees in the Ghab area of

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE

THE COSMOPOLITAN HOUSE of connected with the International Boarding House formerly carried on at the same address and the Cosmo-The market during the week tige stood higher than at any time politan House is in no way responunder review has been compara-since the Manchurian crisis—sible for any liabilities of the Inter-Dated 7th February, 1936.

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Exmest Striving Throughout the early months that the conscience of the major- with Italy. It is even arguable that, while Italy's warlike prepublished shead, they strove soearnestly for conciliation and compromise that their anxiety toavert war was construed as weakness. Be that as it may, not even Govt. 31/2% Loan, 1/4% Dis. par. that amazing mobilisation of world opinion at the Sixteenth Assembly, under the leadershipof Sir Samuel Hoare, was sufficient to stop the Italians from

striking. Sanctions, operated by somefifty nations, were next tried for the first time in the League's history. They were working very well when a sudden check to the League's confidence was administered by the "peace plan" bombshell. Although, as a result of a great public outcry, this scheme to reward the aggressor was promptly slain at hirth, the League had not fully recovered from the shock by the end of the

Disputes Settled

Meanwhile, of course, the rest: the League's activities had been steadily progressing. Many disputes between nations were settled with very little fuss. The frontier quarrel between Iraq and Iran (Persia) developed no awkward features. The League Council won a moral victory over the-Danzig Nazis, in spite of the strenuous efforts of the latter totear up the Free City's Constitution. Bather more obstinate was the Chaco dispute between Boli-The Directors of Humphreys via and Paraguay, but shortly and Finance Company, after a special meeting of the As-Hong Kong Banks \$1595, \$1600. Limited report that the net profit sembly the belligerents were perfor the year ended December 31, suaded to begin peace negotia-\$1.10, 1935, after deducting Directors' In the humanitarian and social and General Managers' remunera- sphere, the League of Nations tion and including \$29,880.13 was able to add materially to the brought forward from last ac-vast volume of good work already Providents (Old) \$2.17/2, \$1.85, count, amounts to \$188,036.66, done. With the questions of the which they recommend should be drug traffic and the traffic in women, a close watch had to be kept upon the operation of the international agreements for the suppression of these evils. Steps were taken to get more detailed 4,656.31 information about the survival of 33,036.35 slavery in certain parts of the world, as a prejude to an inten-

Paging King Solomon! POPEYE

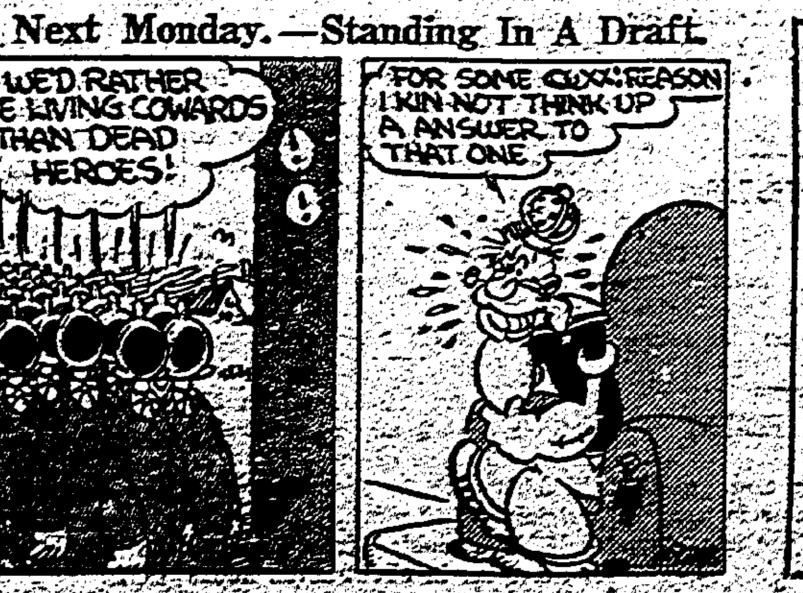












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In spite of the increased difficulties in international trade. freight carried during the year showed a large increase, from just over 1,000,000 kilogrammes in 1934, to over 1,320,000 Kg. in 1935.

Increase In Mails

during the year, to send all let-The mail carried on the Euro-beat Wong and Bliss 21-12 day next-pean lines only showed an inpean lines only showed an increase of over 65 per cent. on the figure for 1934.

The doubling of the Far Eastern service. Amsterdam-Batavia, into a twice-weekly and S. Home) service in both directions, which lost to P. C. Leung and Mrs. was put into force in June last. resulted in an increase in mail of 34.6 per cent. of parcel post by 13.3 per cent., and in general freight by 38.3 per cent., while passenger traffic on this line increased by over 75 per cent.

FIRE RESCUE ATTEMPT

Waitress Praised By Coroner

teashop waitress, was commended Brigade) recently by Mr. Ingleby Oddie, the best S. W. Liang and Miss Paddington coroner, for a brave best Gordon Lum and Mrs. attempt to save the life of a kit- T. F. Lo 21-9 The Colonial Treasurer gives was not. chen maid whose clothes caught best S. P. Chan and Mrs. G. fire from a gas radiator in a Charing Cross-road restaurant

Firth, aged 48, died from burns. Miss Murphy said: "I tried + trip her up and wrap her in a coat. but she stood up again and ran

round the room." She eventually put the fiames lost to Chan and Lam 13-21 out with the coat, burning her

fingers. The coroner recorded a verdict of accidental death.

LOST MOTOR SHIP

A Board of Trade enquiry will lost in the Atlantic in August 8. and S. Home .. 8 0 8 13 59 0 in Calcutta in the same period. 41 years in the force.

UNOMEE'S CLUB SIDE UNDER A BARRAGE"

(Continued from Page 4)

"Unomee" states that he and his over the prays wall, hit a junk plays on the right touchline St. John. and then dropped onto a motor- brought back memories of Home soccer. One of the fastest right-

Wrongly Placed to avoid him and the driver was the best inside-right we have had. were much appreciated. on the motorboat without sink-latter was, undoubtedly, a great ders," commencing at 9 p.m. ing it or itself sustaining any in-player, but Pennell, who was selected for the outside left-berth. The driver of the lorry, how-but who in reality never played Mr. and Mrs. Bradbury and Mr.

vehicle and so severely handled A fast man on the ball, he was Wednesday. February 19, at Civilian winger in South China tion to Mr. Beer. and I have seen the best among the Chinese and Portuguese com-

Richalmann As Leader

munities.

made Albert Howe look an em- welcome. barrassed infant alongside.

suggested, together with the ori- Moyne and party on board, arginal selections of "Unomee", with rived in Hong Kong, at 3 p.m. DRIVEN TO COMMIT SUICIDE" which I do not disagree, would re- yesterday. Lord Moyne refused sult in a team very hard to beat, to give any information as to the but by no means the best INTERPORTER.

SUSTAIN THEIR FIRST DEFEAT Thursday.

(Continued from Page 4)

beat S. Wong, and Mrs. Daw-

Postal authorities in deciding beat Wong and Bliss 21—9 2,520 renewed. Roland Koh and Miss P. MaCaw

Kowloon Tong Win

lost to S. A. Gray and Miss MacKenzie

beat J. M. Pong and Miss L.

S. Home) Fire Brigade Beaten

night, the Chinese Recreation Club Club by 6 sets to 3:-Miss Marie Murphy, a young E. L. Shute and Mrs. Shute (Fire to the list of persons authorised)

fiths (Fire Brigade) (Fire Brigade)

lost to Liang and Cheung ., 12-21 lost to Lam and Lo 18-21

League Table To Date

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES-

There will be no dinner dance evening at Repulse Bay Hotel, but the usual tea dance will be held to-morrow at 4.30.

colleagues in argument found. The next meeting for meditagreat difficulty in finding the tion and discussion conducted by right-winger and ultimately select- Dr. Reichelt at the Tao Fons curred in Connaught Road West ed a very temperamental player in Shan Chapel, Bishop's House, shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday, Jimmy Hamilton, but I am sure Hong Kong, will be held at 6 p.m. when an empty lorry, No. 4128, they have overlooked a school on Wednesday next, February 12 be reasonably certain that you was mildly in love with Diana. after knocking down a coolie, ran master named Wishart, whose dis- The subject will be the Gospel of

At the Cheero Club last The lorry, a Ford V-S, was pro- wingers it was my privilege to Wednesday a splendid concert the coolie suddenly attempted to even present day footballers, both and members of the Dockyard pass in front of it with a load of in his shooting and ball control. Recreation Club. There were some good songs, piano playing Alec Forsyth was and still is and humorous items, all of which unable to pull up in time to avoid but I totally disagree regarding Club announce that on Wednesgoing over the wall. By an the inside-left berth, which "Uno-day next another good show is to we went. extraordinary chance the lorry fell mee" allotted to H. Coeur. The be given by "Pete and his Marau-

A dinner dance in honour of ever, was set upon by other coolies anywhere else but on the inside, and Mrs. H. Beer will be held at the Craigengower Cricket Club on him. that he had to be sent to hospital a deadly shot off his left foot. D.m. Mr. and Mrs. Bradbury will for treatment along with the The left-wing berth I would un- be away for a short vacation, coolie, Wong Woon, who sustained hesitatingly have given to Hector while Mr. and Mrs. Beer will be serious injuries to the head and McTavish, who in his day had no leaving the Colony shortly and left thigh and is now lying in, a equal or better. Until he put his will not be coming back. After serious condition at the Govern-knee out, McTavish was the best dinner there will be a presenta-

> Professor C. A. Middleton Smith, M.S.C., M.I.MECH.E. AMIEE has kindly consented Albert Howe, the Club, Colony to give an address to the Hong empty. and Shanghai Interporter has Kong University Medical Society been suggested as the best ever on Wednesday, February 12, at for the leader's berth, but Richal- 5,30 p.m., at the Union Assembly mann, a huge Dutchman with a Room on the subject "Doctors terrific stride and shot in both and the Public. Problems of boots, was much better. Richal-Human Efficiency." Tea will be mann's feeding and movements served at 5.15 p.m., in the Union for a man of his size would have tea room. All interested are

I think that the changes I have The yacht Rosaura, with Lord that it was a pleasure cruise.

> diphtheria two of enteric fever and one of cerebro-spinal fever were reported to the Health anthorities in the 24 hours ended on

of January totalled 258.50, son 21—4 which I had arson and Mrs. Barrow (St. European programmes and 89.50 and water—and afterwards on ranged solely to be able to invite to Chinese. During this period The action of the Dutch lost to Fincher and Churr .. 16-21 632 new licences were issued and

be saved thereby, was justified lost to Fincher and Churn .. 9-21 from Kobe at 6 a.m. on Wednes- The man had not been in prison expects to be accepted that way

The number of emigrants leav- 12 months' imprisonment. At Wanchai last night, the Kow- ing the Colony for the Straits loon Tong Club beat the Sailors' and Settlements during the month of J. Winifield and Mrs. Martin (S. January was 4,760.

The following telegram was re-mail bags. It was issued lost to Gray and MacKenzie 7-21 people of the Colony a resolution Minall, who seemed cheerful. He beat Pong and Willie 21-8 of homage to His Majesty. I am complained that his cell was cold.

At the Central Police Station last Walch, auditors, have been added prison officer. to perform the duties required by W. Cheung 21- 9 the Companies Ordinance, 1932. dence of the witness was relevant,

Lom 21-8 notice in the Government Gazette J. L. Anderson and Miss M. Grif-that the figure representing the everage opening selling rates for The kitchenmaid. Mabel Ellen lost to Liang and Cheung .. 19-24 the month of January 1936 of the J. L. Fisher and Mrs. R. Kirkwood Corporation for demand drafts on London is settled at 15.45.

NO PAVEMENT GUARD RAILS

Westminster City Council .- decided against a propossi for P W L F APIS pedestrian guard rails in Oxfordcircus and adjacent streets.

To-day's Short Story

More Than Friendship

> TF Diana Keyes had been a Grill without telephoning. man, of course, she would vance. have bought me that luncheon. quietly in one of those un-door opened. women were a novelty.

But then, mercifully, Diana The lorry, a rord v-c, was plant see. Wishart eclipsed all past and was given by Mr. Bruce Wilson Keyes was not a man, and the made an apparent effort, but the would not even though she was acterabout to earn some hundreds of pounds in commission through me-Being the host, I dictated where

More than anything else that morning I wanted to be in some subdued corner where a man could stare at his companion over the melon without feeling that the entire world was grinning at

rendezvous

up on top of the world one minute infatuation.

have got a table at the Rackford tabe was going to play some part

MAN HANGED IN CELL

Fellow-Prisoner's Outburst

yacht's destination, simply stating fellow prisoner at an inquest at lot of her without starting too Lewes Prison recently on Fre-much chatter. Four cases (one imported) of Kingston-on-Thames, who hanged perhaps been rather uneventful, himself in his cell. A verdict of for Diana, with all her charm, suicide while of unsound mind affected a complete simplicity in

The Governor of the prison, Ma- disarm the attacker.

He talked with Minall, who did We never talked business-not not show any signs of being mor- at first, anyway. bid. He thought that Minall act-The s.s. Jeypore is due here ed as he did to vary the monotony, who takes you for granted, and before, but he had been to Borstal herself. He was undergoing a sentence of

Mail Bag Rope round his neck was one issued in connection with the making

G. A. White 13-21 ceived by H.E. the Governor from Minall by the mail bag instructor. the Secretary of State for the William George Westbury, an-Colonies yesterday:—"I have laid other prisoner, suggested that the Willie 21- 8 before the King your telegram glass was not broken by Minall. H. Harris and Mrs. Brown (S. and conveying from the Members of He said that on Monday he had a the Legislative Council and the conversation in the workshop with

C. Hall and Miss M. Doig (S. and commanded by His Majesty to He asked the coroner to ask the request you to convey to the Mem-Governor when the cell which a lost to Gray and MacKenzie. 14—21 bers his deep appreciation of the man occupied was put into the rebeat Pong and Willie 21- 7 sentiments of loyalty and affect port book for repairs. A man tion expressed in this resolution." could not bring forward evidence for his defence in a prison charge. the introduction. The names of Mr. Alastair He was convicted on the unsworn beat the Fire Brigade Recreation Drummond and Mr. Eric Russell and unsubstantiated evidence of a

> Evidence "Irrelevant" The foreman asked if the evi-

and the coroner replied that

Westbury said that next door way. to him there was a man who was Actually. I found exclaimed Westbury, "that in 1935 marks

except as to the cause of death.

CHIEF CONSTABLE RESIGNS

By Hugh

Castle

That morning the head waiter and then, instead of sitting looked almost surprised when the

obstrusive places where you can I suppose, to be honest, that will not meet any fussy friends. She intrigued me. She had we would have been talking more self-assurance than any other business over oyster pie in some woman I had met, yet she seemed hearty chop house where always content to remain in the conversational background.

She never forced herself, or question of who was to pay the smaxing number of her friends bill did not arise—as it obviously testified to her strength of char-

MONDAY'S STORY

Monday's story will be "The Sutor of Selkirk.

We were the best of friends, So I chose a grill room which, and, although the future held a two years ago, had been the last suggestion of something more word in London's lunch-time than friendship. I had decided to take my time, and not spoil things It is strange how fashions in by rushing into some stammering restaurants change. A place is proposal like a boy in his first

-and completely forgotten the We had first met just before Christmas, on the Berengaria. Yet the place-itself, the food homeward bound from New York and the service remain exactly the . In the odd way that these things same. Only the tables alter. They happen. I had a feeling, the moment I saw her in the dining-Two years ago we could not room on the first night out, that

> in my future. On the second night I was lucky enough to cut her as partner in a bridge game, at which she played rather too well for my liking. From then on we saw a good

> deal of each other. We flirted, conversationally, at Epsom and Hurlingham, Bray and

Le Touquet She moved round in the right places, and it was the simplest There was an outburst by a thing in the world to see quite a

derick Joseph Minall, aged 32, of As a flirtation, I admit, it had these matters which was apt to

jor Munn, said that Minall was re- However, I had kept up what I ported for breaking the glass of hoped was an unobtrusive offension by Z. B. W. during the month the gas box in his cell, and was sive, even to the tune of a box at of given two days' close confinement Ascot and a wickedly expensive to and placed on No. 1 diet-bread week-end party, which I had ar-

Diana was the sort of woman

She never asked questions: she seldom troubled with answers. She did know, because I remem-

The rope which was found ber telling her, that I had a fantastic run of beginner's luck on the Stock Exchange, and I suppose she inferred that at the time I was pretty well off.

All I knew about her own work picked up in snatches, telephone calls, interrupted business talks, and so on.

For a woman who quite obviously earned a large income as an outside representative of one those octobus firms of New York financiers, Diana showed good taste in never attempting to introduce me to her company—even though she would probably have made quite a lot of money out of HER OWN FLAT FOR

There are not a great many people in London who earn a living in that fashion, but in America, where business depends so much more on the personal element, many man with the right contacts earns a comfortable fortune discovering new clients in a social

afraid to make application to see about Diana's work from outthe Governor. "It is a shame," siders than from her own rare re- now before Parliament here is Sunday Service: 11.15 a.m.

a man should be driven to commit. I think it was James Fordsonhad met him at a party just The coroner told Westbury that before leaving New York, and we band "everywhere"-even to a days, 6 p.m. that was not a matter for the jury. chanced to be on the same ship. They were not holding an enquiry coming back - who first made me realise that the girl was a big the legal domicile if she takes a Monday and Thursday: 5.30 by success at her own line.

Diana was the type of woman er one for herself.

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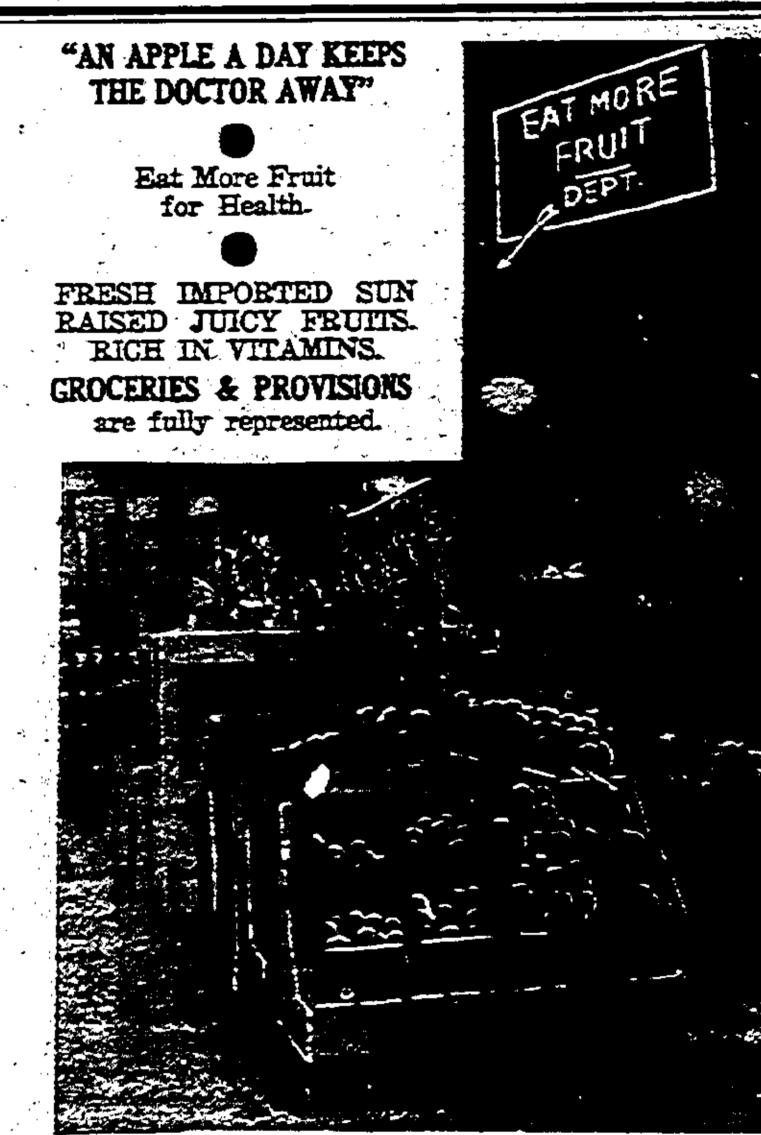
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Law Of Husband And Wife

have to follow their wives in fu- Macdonnell Road, below Bowen ture, if a private member's Bill Road Tram Station. passed.

At present, French law compels the wife to follow her husflat she dislikes. She can be Reading Room is located at divorced on grounds of leaving above address and is open: dislike to the fist and finds a nic- 7 p.m.

who always stands out in a crowd A French wife cannot, at pre-poon. without apparently caring whe sent, rent a flat without her hus. All authorized Christian Eclence ther she does or not. She had band's consent. But by the pro-Literature is available at the Calcutta reported 228 cases of Mr. W. V. Webb, Chief Con-this retime of admirers who were posed law, madame may be per Reading Room. smallpox in the week ended Pebruary stable of Cambridgeshire, has re-seldom, tired of singing her mitted to have her own home if The Public is cordially invited to do so.

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take has good reason for requiring to strend the Service and right the

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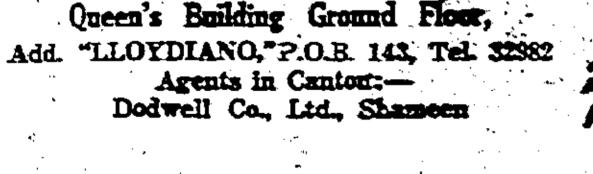
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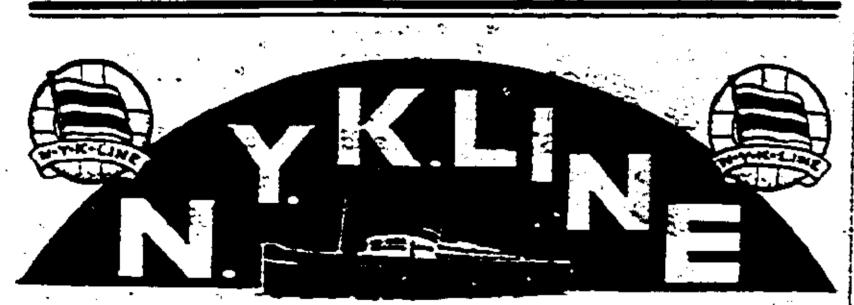
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HE VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps Orders by Lient-Colonel H R. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer fence Corps

Hong Kong.

Friday, 7th February, 1936. GENERAL

Corps Orders No. 42/35, paragraph 9 dated 18th October, 1985. is cancelled in respect of Private Chapter VIII, Section 44. H. O. Bramble.

PARADE Corps 1st Battery

"A" Section-Next parade is att Belcher's Fort on Thursday, 20th February at 5 p.m. Dress-Overalls, Gun Platform Shoes, Blue Cap.

"L" Section-Parade at Corps Headquarters on Friday, 14th February at 5.30 p.m. Dress-Overalls

Corps Engineers Parade at Miniature Range or Monday, 10th February, 1936 5.30 p.m.

Corps Signals All ranks will parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 11th and Thursday, 13th February, 1936.

M. G. Troop

Parade at Corps Headquarters Armoured Car Section

Headquarters on Tuesday, 11th are urged to attend. February at 5.15 p.m. prompt for Rifle Practice on Kennedy Road Range:

Corps Headquarters as early as last Location Headquarters. possible after 5 p.m. to draw their "B" Lewis Gun.—L A. Stop-bering the 20-dollar luncheon he 6. p.m.

Motor Machine Gun Section Parade at Corps Headquarters Class A & B Musicetry—Men de- given him a sleepless night.

crill. attendance requested, Training.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company Friday, 14th February, 1936.— Parade in-mufti at 5.30 p.m. Tests Mechanism and L. A. All

Friday, 6th March, 1936. Company. Will all ranks note this date. No. 2 (Scottish) Company

Corps Headquarters on Thursday January, 1936. M. G. Training.

Col. E. M. Bryden. G. G. Stopani-Thomson Strength-No. 2540 Pte. C. R. 21.11.36.

Maberly, joined 30.1.36, is posted No. 2420 Pte. G. A. Stewart, No. Classification-M. G. Part II- leave as from 8.2.36 to 24.2.36. as 1st class Machine Gunners and are entitled to wear the M. G. No. 2049 Piper J. J. A. Riach,

year: — Sergt. G. G. Stopani-Thomson, Cpl. E. M. Bryden, Cpl. C. R. No. 2541 Gunner, A. H. Ismail, L/Cpi. W. K. Robinson.

Hast, W. C. Tillery, J. B. Sturgeon, Corps Signals, 4236. G. A. Stewart and T. Swan.

PARADE No. 3 (MCG.) Company The Company will parade at Singh, Corps Signals, 4.2.36.

5.30 p.m. on Monday, 10th Febru- No. 2549, Signr, Gurdial Singh, ary for "Gas Drill" under Lieut Corps Signals 4.235 C. de S. Robertson, M. M. Dress-Mufti, no equipment, (M.G.) Co. 32.36.

tween 5 p.m. and 5.25 p.m. (M.G.) Co. 3.2.36. Classification Tests on Arms Lantry. 4.2.36. Drilf," "Squad Drill" and "Gas Drill" will be held for those who | (Sdg.) R. C. B. ANDERSON.

with to qualify; commencing at 5.30 p.m. Dress:-Muffi and "Arms Drill" Nursing Detachment, H.K.Y.D.C.

"Gas Drill"-Box Respirator | commencing at 5 p.m. M. G. Bu. Signal Section | Candidates are requested to be Section will parade in Subsec-punctual. tions as follows:

Subsection "A" V/T Station work. Complete messages. Figure check Reference "Signal Training" Chapter X

The annual Mess, Meeting will Subsection B Lit Prepara be held at 545 pm on Monday, Cion of Cable Drums for Combined 2nd March, 1986
Operations, Permanent Jointing, Every Officer is expected to at Thursday scheme.

Reference — Signal. Training tend.

(Continued on Page 11.)

More Than Friendship

the Ritz one morning. Sometimes, I noticed, she would telegram from the north

would come back, send off a sheaf later made me curious. of cables, and start playing golf, "What's this De Lancing busifor another fortnight.

the De Lancing project from a before answering.

Subsection "C" W/T.—Erection Type C Field Set. Subsection "D" DVR - Map

Reading. Corps Infantry 11th at 530 p.m. at Corps Headquarters. Details as pendix.

Stonecutters Range - "A" "B" Companies will fire Part III Musketry at Stonecutters on Sun-about it, only for it to crop up on this date.

Range Officer.-Lieut. F.

8.30 a.m. Corps Infantry Small Arms "Look here," I replied "I'll on Tuesday, 11th February at Competition and Interport Shoot cable New York and get their will take place on Sunday, 23rd advice." February, 1936. Each member of She dismissed the matter as

APPENDIX Gategory. "A" Lewis Gun mixing business with pleasure. Lesson: - Test of Elementary The reply came along a day or All ranks are requested to be at Training. Continue where stopped two later.

rifles etc. from Store, so that an pages (continued) Headquarters. had taken from me the last time early start can be made, the light "C" & "D" Musketry-Firing I was over there, was obstinately being unsuitable for firing after over and round cover. Headquar- useless.

"B" COMPANY

at 5.30 p.m. for elementary gun Empire Test. Miniature Range.

Care and Cleaning, Headquar-cept stocks and shares. LECTURE ROOM & RANGE

ALLOTMENT Lecture Room-Thursday, 13th yet to expect results. ranks must attend this parade. February, 1936 Corps 1st Bat-

Company Supper.-This will be tery. Ministure Range-Thursday, Street was favourable. held at Corps Headquarters on 20th Feb: 1936-No. 3 (M.G.) He didn't want to advise, but LEAVES

C.S.M. D. Davies, Medical Sec-ing into that mine. The Company will parade at tion, returned from leave on 9th That settled it

13th February at 5.30 p.m. for No. 2206, Private H. O. Bram- used by Smith — or whatever the ble, Armoured Car Section, re- fellow's name was, for I did not Recruits - Stoppages - under turned from leave on 3rd Febru- know him very well - when ary, 1936.

Remainder-L A-under Sergt | Lieut G. Miskin, A. S. C. Cadre, with him at Lord's the week begranted leave as from 21.3.36. to fore.

to No. 2 Subsection, No. 6 Platoon. 2 (Scottish) Company, granted The following have been qualified STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH London

Leaving The Colony Badge (without wreath) for one No. 2 (Scottish) Company, from 8th February, 1936.

STRENGTH Logan, L/Cpl A. K. Machenzie, 1st Battery, "L" Section. 31.1.36 No. 2542, Gunner, C. Dragon, Privates-W. N. Buyers, D. L. 1st Battery, "L" Section. 31.1.36. Prophet, A. A. Bremner, E. W. No. 2543, Gunner, A. M. Wahab, telephone. Coulson, J. P. White, G. Milne, H. 1st Battery, "L" Section. 31.1.36. W. Bonner, I. S. Forbes, V. M. No. 2546, Signr., Hazara Singh,

No. 2548, Signr, Gur Bachan Corps Signals, 4.236.

No. 2544, Pte. B. S. C. No.

Box Respirators will be issued be- No. 2545, Pte. S. Lee, No. Thursday, 13th February 1936. No. 2550, Pte. Aquino, Corps In-

Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps. Affiliated Units

"Squad Drill"-No equipment ing will take place in the P.W.D. Offices on Monday, 10th instant

Commandant Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C. NOTICE

Mess Meeting

(Continued from Page 0) iman with whom we cocktailed at

The reference was brief. The disappear from London for a week conversation awang over smoothly at a time, and perhaps send me a to more general matters. But a TRAYEL chance reference by someone else Then, without warning, she to the same proposition a week

ness? I asked her. I first heard of her interest in I remember how she hesitated

"It's a mining development my people are backing," she said eventually.

"Is it good?"

Again she paused. "It's one thing or the other. As an investment, of course, it's an idiotic gamble.

"I wouldn't like to say whether Parade — Tuesday, February it was all right, Jim. I make a per Ap speculative stock

"Anyway, don't let's talk busi-

For a week or two I forgot all day, February 9th 1986. Platoon again when I glanced through my Commanders and C.S.M. must see monthly, price list which I get that no man who has already fired over from my man in New York. Part III nor any man who has not At the time I had money to yet fired Ball Ammunition, attend burn. I had been locky, amazingly lucky; and I believed in chas-P. ing my luck.

"Well, it's up to you." Disna Launch.—Launch leaves Queen's said finally, after I had told her Pier at 8.15 a.m. and Kowloon at I wanted to plunge. "Don't say I didn't warn you."

Section will parade at Corps the Unit will receive details. All though it didn't matter. I must say that for Diana. No woman had a more admirable hatred of

Old Chambers, no doubt remem-

He sat on the fence in a cable so long that its cost must have on Monday, 10th February, 1936 tailed by C.S.M. Baptista to Fire He emphasised that the pro-

position was a bigger gamble than Remainder Lewis Gun (Ground) a sweepstake, that the mine had so far brought forth nothing ex-

At the same time he pointed out, with a fine show of impartiality, it was anyway too early

The "inside" talk on Wall

he did mention that there was a whole heap of "wise" money go-

The identical phrase had been Diana and I had been chatting

While, as I say, I believed in chasing my luck, I didn't intend to chase it too stupidly. I had a word with my own broker in

"It's risky," he said eventually. "The house behind it is a new one, but, judging by market reports, seems to have all the money in the world at its disposal. You might make several hundred per

"Or lose the lot, I suppose?" Well, anyway, I decided to do it. I told Diana so over the

"How much?" she asked "Twenty thousand"

I was flattered at the respectful silence on the line. I do not sup-No. 2547, Signr, Bachan Singh, play about with that much money. "Well, there's one born every

minute," she said finally. So, just to clinch it, we had lunch that particular morning. We need not have had lunch I know, but it made as good an excuse as any. I remember the meal well, for

it was a particularly good one, To AUSTRALIA. Calling at Mealls (P. Is.). Thursday is., Cairne, Townsville, and Diana was looking her best. and Diana was looking her best Several times, over the game, not ripe for me to steer our rela-Belt, Frog, Rifle and Bayonet. An Examination in Home Nurs- But I said nothing that could have spoilt the occasion.

There was plenty of time She made a pretty zesture at the end of the meal, when we were about to start on cigarettes. Producing a gold case from her handbag she placed it on the plate in front of me That's for you. she said

My dear boy, I'm in on two per

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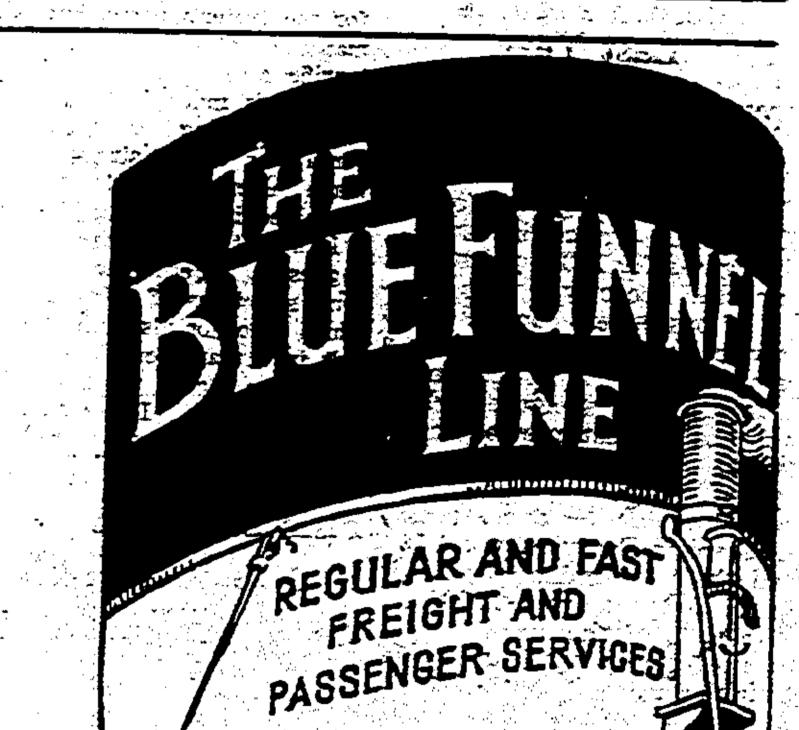
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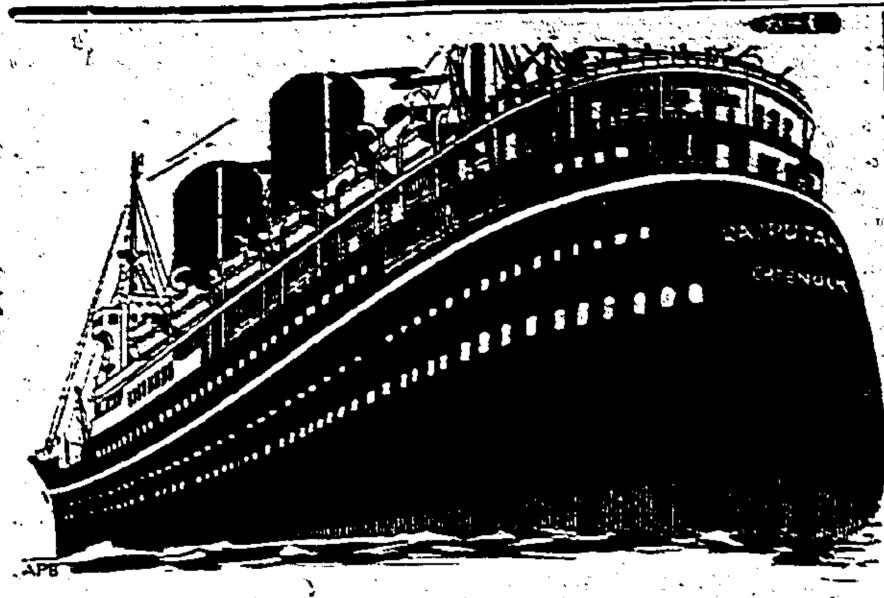
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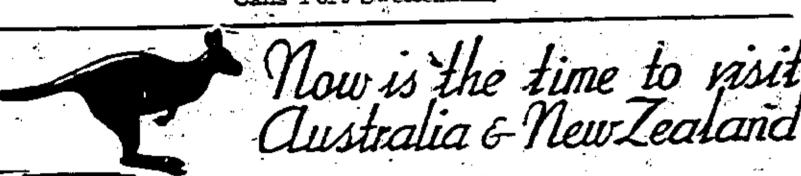
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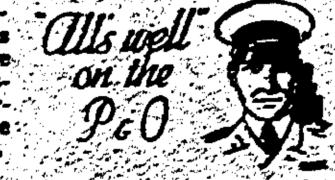
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keep their word. In this respect, as in others, the post-war Mandates assigned by the Allied Powers for the ex-German colof the Cameroons and Tanganvika, to France (for the most part) and to Great Britain respectively, have considerstrengthened the Free

the League receives annual reon the mandated terriories, and is particularly carenl to notice any attempt on the part of the mandatory to secure special privileges for his ma-The Mandates provide for the fullest commercial equality for nationals of League-member States. the responsibility of League membership.

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Mandates Go Further

The Mandates go further than the Congo Act in definitely proments, apart from police to siege of Mafeking in the Boer Czechoslovakia's "Liberator Presikeep order and a modest force War, where the idea of the Boy dent," is still alive, it was felt that dend these stocks will ever pay." off. for defence. Military training Scout Movement also originated there would be a lack of tact and of the natives, except for these purposes, is forbidden. ther Germany before 1914 did or native forces is a controversial question that remains open. But the belief that she did ac- in South Rhodesia, was surroundcounts for the insertion of the prohibition in the Mandates-

For 50 years, then, traders of all nations have on the whole for 218 days until the siege was enjoyed equal access to the resources of the vast territories of tropical Africa, of which everyone thinks first when such questions are mooted. are no other regions with simi-king became an underground city, lar potentialities under the direct control of European Powers. What Is Behind Demand?

unknown interior, which in Good Hope and Bechuanaland. point of area, if not of climate, needed for mail taken through the could absorb millions of emi-Boer lines by blockade runners no mere prophesy or idle specula-self. Congo Act and the Mandates issued, for one penny and three- the year now ended. could be improved.

It may be, however, that the Powers which insist on their right to expand want more than "access to markets," torial acquisitions. course, raises political issues, of Colonel Baden-Powell in uni-outlined herein will not be gather-enough to be his son. and implies that they have no form. commercial grievances. They are, in fact, as free to trade with tropical Africa as the nations who now protect it.

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WATER COOLED PLANES DISCARDED

Water-cooled engines, widely Vedrines, a Frenchman, set a But it will be the end of 1987 used in commercial planes about speed record of 105 miles an hour or later before we see such bests and that it was obviously perfect 1929, have practically disappear in 1912 was reported to have cost rising on the stocks. First, ally innocent. ed. This type of power plant ap- \$600,000. This included cost of great deal of experience in oper- Dash it," I said finally: peared in only about I per cent experimentation and constructating a mail route over the ocean you suddenly saw that lot on of the planes produced in 1934. Mon.



TTAWA might, at some future but because of a lack of paper and date, issue a set of comme-because the post was a local affair moratives, and place upon them the stamps were allowed. A few reproductions of historical points of them, however, got through to the outside world, and when the of interest, found in the west. Vancouver's meeting with the siege was lifted in 1900 these Spanish, Fraser's magnificent trip caused some adverse criticism of to the west, scenes of the Cariboo the colonel, since his likeness had

Czech Problem Solution?

Officials were hoping to comme-

But since the first President of

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ready by the end of 1936.

lantic will have been made.

be designed during 1986.

must be gathered.

the postal authorities at

trail, the coming to the coast of appeared on the stamps instead of the Princess Royal in 1854 and Queen Victoria's. the Spanish discovery of Malaspina galleries are some of the historic scenes that would lend themselves well to reproduction on Prague may be solved by the issue which a set of postage stamps.

Those who conceived the scheme of a set of stamps bearing the Americans, despite the refusal are to be congratulated. There heads of both the present Presiof the United States to share has not been enough attention paid deut of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Benes, to this part of Canada on issues and the late President, Dr. in the past

morate the election of the new The Famous "Mafeking" the President with stamps bearing the **TUTSTANDENG** stamps that attract Scout head of Dr. Benes. "Mafeking" collectors is the hibiting any military establish-Cape of Good Hope, born at the Republic, Dr. T. G. Masaryk, The stamp bears a portrait of Sir taste in replacing Masaryk stamps boisterously funny. Whe-Robert Baden-Powell, founder of with a Benes issue. garrison. Mafeking, a post on the heads of both the retired President road from Kimberly to Baluwayo and his successor. ed and attacked by the Boers shortly after hostilities began in 1899. But the defenders held out

> During that period a continuous bombardment by the Boers forced the village and the garrison of There 1.000 to dig themselves in Mafeand to break the monotony of its air routes and the establishment enjoying life after 40 over-work- Strangely enough, I rememberexistence various forms of recrea- of a radio beacon system for air ed years in the cotton tradetion were tried. Correspondence liners.

Design Of The Stamp THE penny design shows Ser- of last year, and before the end deal younger.

DIESEL SPEED RECORDS

Captain Eyston's Feats

Six Diesel-engined car re-commercial aviation is rapidly adcords were recently broken, in-vancing, the safety of all forms Diana saked. from English stock have been cluding the hour record at of air traffic grows in importance. I gave them another glance the crowd at Alexandra Park the transported by aeroplane from 103.01 m.p.h., by Captain G. E. Lima to Cuzco in Peru. They are T. Eyston at Montihery, before intended for stock raising purthe loss of a front wheel must have wide powers which poses, and the zeroplane has pro- brought the run to a dramatic can be applied as local circumvided a safer and healthier me finish. At the time the car stances dictate. At the same thod of transport than the long was doing over 104 m.p.h., and time there will be legislation to journey by coastal steamship, it was only the skill of A. Denly, relax control of some sides followed by tedious and protract Eyston's co-driver who was civil aviation and to secure a sared mountain railway stages. then at the wheel, that kept the tisfactory arrangement for

Capt. Eyston had set out to Conquering The Atlantic takes less than four hours. By establish 100 m.p.h. for 24 The greatest interest during the boat and railway journey ex- hours with his A.E.C.-Diesel the year will be focused on the perience shows that as many as engined streamlined saloon, and activities of Imperial Airways, have imported that holder straight Air Ministry for a large number from Phillips Oppenheim—is of variable-nitch number and had established world's reend had established world's re-Single-engine passenger mono-cords for 50 kilometres at 98.68. ma-m.p.h., and 1 hour at 103.01 service may even be begun.

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"But, darling, this is quite .un- .. The lit another cigarette. "Well, necessary."

"Don't be silly." She laughed it." "Anyway, it may be the only divi- Ten minutes later we wandered

the British Boy Scouts, who, as The probable solution will be a the morning, however, occurred a ject to subject. The old gentledid not build up considerable colonel, commanded the besieged stamp on which will appear the minute or two later, when Diana men was having the time of his leant over to me and started whis-life.

"Have you noticed those four happy-

I looked at them. They cer-man.

tainly were an amusing collection. Nothing was more amusing The erection of wireless sta- viously, was a bulky man of about at the old fellow in the nest of tions at all main centres on inland 60, looking as though he was now vultures.

Australia alone can determine between members of the camp. The completion of several Bri-small eyes, a red, well-preserved expressed in one man before. the future of her empty north, proved very successful. The sup-tish air liners capable of speeds face, and a disarming smile—the Brazil alone the future of her ply of regular stamps of Cape of up to 200 miles an hour. sort of smile that comes to a man

grants. It is difficult to see was found inadequate for this tion about "things to come." The One of the things I noticed Dians — she had gone back to how, from a commercial stand-pastime, so two special stamps, seeds of most of these develop-about him was his voice—so un- New York the week after that point, the provisions of the blue-printed on laid paper, were ments have already been sown in usually thin and shrill for a heavy luncheon.

scheme of the B.A.F. has been a fellow half his size.

geant Major Goodyear, a of 1936 we shall be the better arm- One of them, who talked very last week.

was unauthorised by the colonel, expansion of the R.A.F. should though, was an unusually well- Europe, information having been be complete if the time-table is tailored man who affected a short, laid against him by three of Lon-By then also the Empire routes pronounced a taste in cuff-links, a trap for him in a fashionable will be served with the flying. He was talking easily, and at grill room. boats to be completed this year some speed, with a suggestion of "His accomplice. Diana Keyes,

for the speeding up of our air things, powers for greater con-laugh of the old man's bubbled ave years - is still at large." trol over air discipline. Now that incessantly.

The waiter was arriving with 2 other Saturday. To increase it, the Air Ministry tray of liqueurs. The old fellow cupped his hands around brandy, quivering with mirth.

The idea struck me, just as it "Oh, nonsense, darling," I grin-

"But, Jim, it's a perfect set-up. the The old chap's quite obviously the dumbest egg that ever escaped

> unhatched "The boy with the beard and just about to take him for his

shirt and all." We laughed at it for some min

Australia route to New Zealand tastic. I knew perfectly well that required in connection with the will be promoted and the first there were confidence tricksters R. A. F. expansion scheme. in the world, fellows who lived by telling the same old tale in the placed by the Air Ministry with boats, of perhaps 60,000lbs. gross weight and more, with a fuel load same old way, and catching a surprising number of idiots.

miles of open ocean in the teeth of the strongest head winds, will Such poker game with a man who after mph by the use of these "gearboats will, together with this wards did five years for selling changing" propellers fixed to the something which did not belong Gipsy engines. fuel load carry up to 20 passen-

But this quartette was so bist-

had over-drawn They simply scream." Jim, I wouldn't mind betting on

And we both thought the remark . The men were still at the liqueur stage. Conversation was The most amusing thing about flowing easily darting from sub-

For myself, I felt blissfully

I had concluded a deal, lunched I had not. I had developed an with one of the most attractive unfortunate habit of not noticing women in London, and mentally anybody else when I was with decided on a still more sustained siege of that charming young wo-

The guest of honour quite ob-than to take a last, lingering look

ed his face. I do not think I have He had large white eychrows, ever seen innocence so completely It was a face in a million.

I saw it again last week, in one when he had thrown c re aside of the American papers I have This ambitious programme is and is at last out to enjoy him-sent over to me. Next to it was a picture of

man, a voice you might have ex- "Nipper Strakey," said the cap-In particular, the expansion pected to find on some snippet of fion, written in that queer but colourful jargon beloved of the proceeding without hitch most. The other three were a good New York popular Press, who went up to Sing Sing for 10 years

they really aim at terri-blockade runner, on a bicycle; the ed by at least 1,000 new aircraft little, but seemed to be enjoying Known in the Bowery as Nip-That, of three-pence bears a bust portrait The full fruit of the policies himself immensely, was young per the Angel, the old chap with the periect face, he was arrested The use of his portrait ed until 1937, by which year the The most prominent of the trio, at the docks on his return from pointed beard, and had rather tou don Scotland Yard men, who set

> and we must wait also until 1937 a foreign accent. who is said to have taken mugs Having evidently decided to on both sides of the Atlantic on make himself the life and soul of a 200,000 dollar ride in the De The Air Ministry will present the party, he was quite obviously Lancing bucket shop - said to be other succeeding. That almost boyish the biggest con job of the last

So, unfortunately, is my ciga-"Notice anything about them?" rette case. The gold one It was whisked from my pocket in

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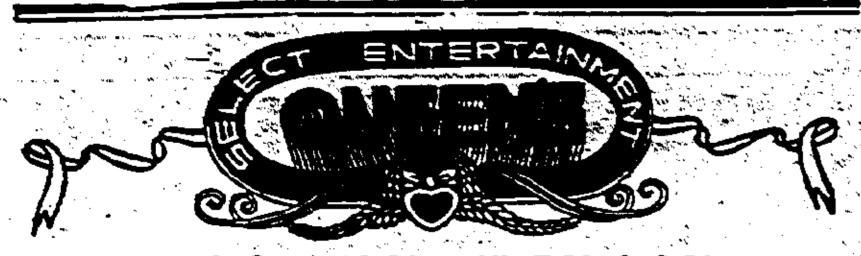
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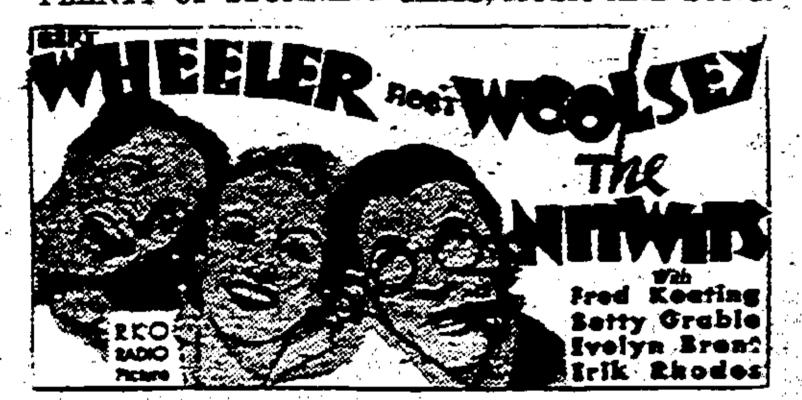
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said that when Mr. Barthels was: 834.85. (In addition securities seen by an L.C.C. inspector he are deposited with the Crown survivors made small raits said: "I will give you every facility for detecting the way in which I administer ultra-violet lray treatment without the sanction of a registered medical practitioner."

Unnecessary Condition He told the inspector, Mr. Cannon continued, that, in opinion, the condition which at tached to his licence respecting 2 medical practitioner having to give him sanction for such treatment should not have been inserted by the L.C.C. He further said that he did not propose to seek the sanction of a doctor.

Mrs. Rachel Constance Mc-Kenzie, Inspector of Massage and Special Treatment Establishments under the L.C.C., said that she was invited to see a patient receiving ultra-violet ray treatment at Weymouth House.

"I asked the patient if she had seen a doctor and had a doctor recommended treatment" said Mrs. McKenzie. "She said she been to many doctors before and had not received any benefit and so she decided to try Mr. Bart-

Question Of Morality

Replying to Mr. H. H. Hanworth (for Mr. Barthels), the inspector said that a large part of her duty was to see that the establishments were properly conducted; but the question of morality did not arise in this case.

Mr. Hanworth began to examine the inspector as to the competence juries to his legs. of Mr. Barthels when the magistrate said that the question of competence did not enter into the ambit of the enquiry. They would assume that he was the most competent person in the world.

commit a further breach.

dition attached to his licence.

LIED TO HER HUSBAND

"I Was Afraid He Would Not Love Me"

When a newly married wife Kathleen Farrar, of Beckenham, was charged at Marylebone policecourt last month with wholesale shoplifting, she confessed in the presence of her husband that she had lied to him. "I was afraid," she said, "that he would not love me any more."

According to the husband, she had told him she had gone shopshe met in a teashop. The stranger left her in a store to mind

A woman detective said that, when stopped, Mrs. Farrar exclaimed: "What will my husband say? I have only been married three weeks."

Mrs. Farrar was placed on probation for two years.

NEW RUBBER EXCHANGE OPENED IN LONDON

London, to day, The new Rubber Exchange was opened in London yesterday by the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Walter Cloudy weather, with moderate Sweden by the only goal and Runciman. Messages of cost north-east winds, is the weather | Hungary best France three nil gratulations were received from forecast for to-day, as issued by Germany heat Haly in their Ica Bubber Trade Associations in all the Royal Observatory this mor- bockey encounter by 3 goals to 0. parts of the world British Wire nine

RANKON PROZES CIRCULATION

January Returns Published

"GAZETTE" NOTIFICATION

The Government Gazette pub-London.-Mr. Alexander C. lishes the returns of the average Barthels, of Weymouth House, smount of Bank Notes in circula-Hallam-street, W., who was sum-tion and of Hong Kong Governmoned by the L.C.C. at Mari-ment Certificates of Indebtedness borough-street police-court recent- in Hong Kong during the month by, pleaded guilty to giving ultra- ended January 31, as certified by riolet ray treatment to a patient the managers of the respective

Chartered Bank of India, Aus-The summons, which accused tralia and China: Average amount, Mr. Barthels of unlawfully run- \$24,329,887; Government Certining a special treatment establish-, ficates of Indebtedness, 8,300,000. ment otherwise than in accord- (In addition sterling securities ance with his licence, was dis- are deposited with the Crown

£5 5s to the L.C.C. for expenses. \$125,051,401; Government Certi-Mr. K. P.. Cannon, prosecuting, ficates of Indebtedness, \$118,235,-Agents and Straits Government were rescued. Two died later. valued at £3,284,000);

Mercantile Bank of India. Limited: Average amount, \$2,134,- hazel's chief officer, on his arrival 849; Government Certificates of in London, said: Indebtedness. \$1.151.200. (In addition securities are deposited with here. We managed to get along £190,000, consisting of 41/2 per nights in the bitter cold with cent. Conversion War Loan, 1940- waves breaking over us and 41. the latest market price of typhoon threatening you can which was 11114-11216).

FIRE ENGINES TURN OUT

Only To Rescue A **Painter**

Fire engines, an appliance van, a public, ambulance and police were rushed to King's College, ways defeated them. Strand, W.C., recently.

The services of the ambulance only were required—to take away a paint-bespettered man who jump for it," he added. had fallen through an iron grat-

He was Arthur Barber. became wedged between the iron Rempton-road, East Ham, painter employed on redecorating the outside of the building. He fell from an iron railing and bars of the grating.

Two workmen forced the bars imprisoning the man and released he rigged this up so that we could him before the arrival of outside hold on when big waves broke over assistance. Barber was taken to us. We knew help was coming, Charing Cross Hospital with in- but big waves were threatening

BRITISH COLONIAL POSSESSIONS

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worth, had all kinds of certificates irresteeship to which the British tain, Mr. H. Lennard, who was from Edinburgh University. The comman Administration general-the last to leave the rock. He had offence in this case was purely a ly conforms in practice, and a dog in his arms as he jumped technical breach. He gave an which is embodied more formally into the sea with the rest of the

right to appeal against the con-sibilities Britain has assumed and seen again. deprecates the doubts which may be created in colonial areas by such discussions.

> VISCOUN'E ELIBANK'S . DEMAND In the House of Lords Viscount Elibank proposes to call attention to the "sense of misgiving and unrest being aroused in the minds of the inhabitants of British Co- Lieutenant Andrew Walton lonies by the suggestions now be-Brown, C. S. Major Robert Haring made in letters to the press per George Charles, Lieutenant and elsewhere for the handing Alexander Urquhart, R. Q. M. Serover of the British Colonies to reant Albert Edward Kew, C. S. under League of Nations Man-M.B.E.- C.-Q. M. Sergeant Joseph dates, and to ask His Majesty's Arthur Howe, Sergeant-Drummer Government to declare their po-Wilson Brown, Corporal Joseph licy in this matter." The motion Victor Ramsay, Lance Bombarwill be debated in March.

COMMONS DEBATE ping with a strange woman whom of Commons questions will be ad-George Hamilton Cuthill, Serdressed both to the Foreign Se-geant William Francis Webb, and cretary and the Secretary for the Private Hermann Balesn. some parcels, and did not come Colonies. Both ask for assurances from the Government. The Liberai member, Mr. Mander, wishes for confirmation that the Government has no intention of handing over territories held under British Mandate, and Sir Henry Page Croft desires a guarantee that the Government is not prepared to make the British Colonies the subject of barter any world conference."-British second defeat in their match Wireless Service.

WEATHER REPORT

CASTAWAYS ON SMALL ROCK

Washed By Seas For Three Days

> WRECK SURVIVORS VIVID STORY.

London.-A dramatic account of how 50 people, including four women, spent three days and nights on a rock 30ft. by 10ft. with no drink and no food but salmon, after their ship had sunk. was given by survivors of the London steamer Silverhazel (5,307) tons) when they arrived at Tilbury last, month.

The Silverhazel struck a rock in the San Bernardino straits, in the Philippines, last November, and broke in half. The crew of 45 Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank- and five passengers were able to scramble on to the rock

Ships were standing by, but were unable to take them off owing to the heavy seas. Eventually the

Typhoon Threat Mr. N. H. Bloye, the Silver-

"It is a miracle that we are at on salmon right enough, but at imagine what our feelings were We tried to keep ourselves in good spirits by singing, but the job was to get safely snugged down on the most treacherous piece of smal rock you could imagine."

Mr. Frederick Clayton, the chief engineer, said time and again boats from the U.S. destroyer Peary endeavoured to take the castaways off, but the waves al-

Jump For It "We had to come to the determination that we would have to saved all the lumber wood we could and rigged crude rafts-When it came to the point everyone, the women particularly, acted with coolness and courage."

A member of the erew, James McGilchrist, of Berkley-street, Glasgow, paid tribute to the coolness of Chief Officer Bloyne. "He did marvellous work."

said. "We had a lot of rope and every minute to wash us away.

Tried To Sing "We often tried to sing, but it was strange to hear out attempts at trying to be merry when we were half-frozen to death."

Other members of the crew re-Mr. Barthels, said Mr. Han-templated to the principle of ferred to the death of their capundertaking that he would not in the League mandate system. survivors in the attempt to reach The other school-repudiates any the waiting boats, but he was Mr. Barthels would have the idea of the cession of the respon- swept away by the waves and never

EFFICIENCY MEDALS

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EFFICIENCY MEDAL other nations, either directly or Major George Thomas Padgett, dier Charles Edward Moore, Private Alfred Morley, Gunner Hea-Next Wednesday in the House ry Thomas Buxton, Private

OLYMPIC ICE HOCKEY

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The United States won the second match, against Switzerland, by 3 goals to 0, while in Belgium had to bow down to a against Czechoslovakia, losing by

In the afternoon England won a hard-fought wictory against



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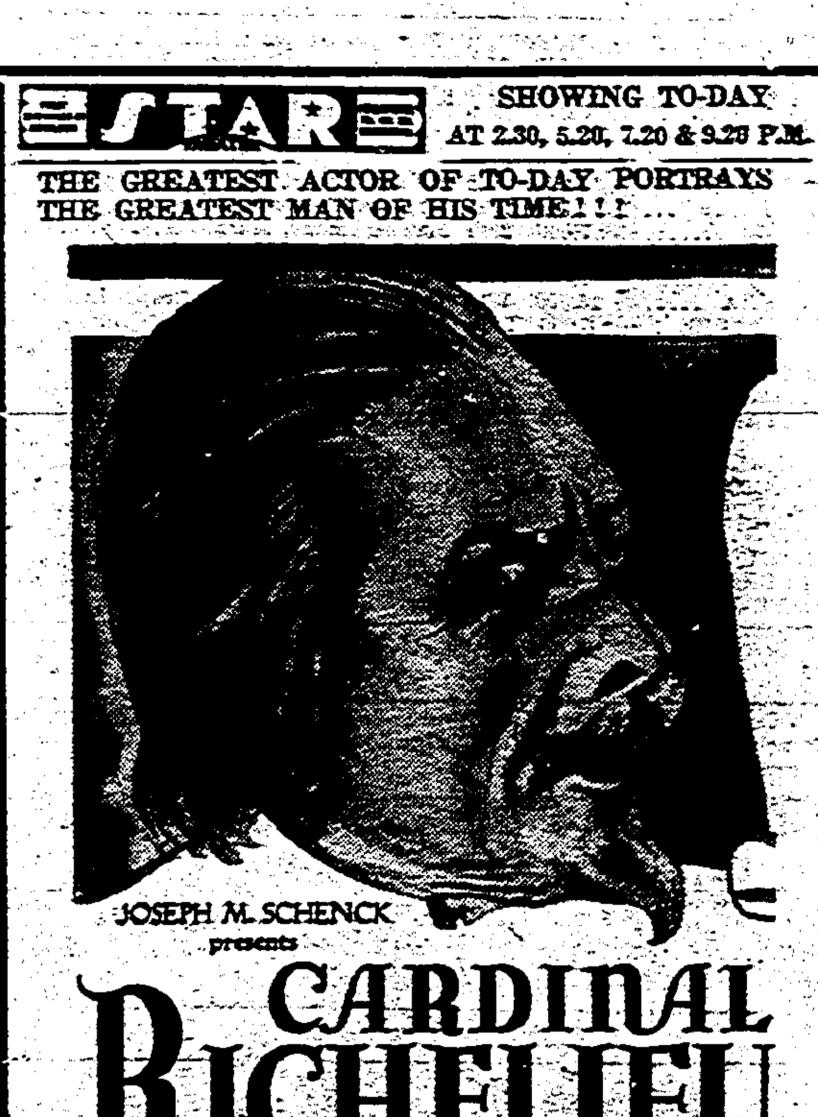
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KOMTOON

AT 230, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.: AT 238, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.



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